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West Nile case in West Sacto

A West Sacramento man remains in the hospital after coming down with West Nile Virus. His is the only confirmed case of the mosquito-borne illness in Yolo County this year, said Cheryl Boney, Deputy Director of Public Health.

Many people who are exposed to the disease don't get ill, but seniors and other "at risk" people can become severely ill or even die from the disease. The West Sacramento victim, who was not identified, fits into the 55-74 age group, said Boney. She said it's not known where he contracted the illness.

The area has experienced a lighter season of infection that it did last year. The season ends when mosquitos subside in the cool weather, "around the end of September or beginning of October," added Boney.

"There are still plenty of mosquitos out there, so people need to take precautions," she told the News-Ledger.

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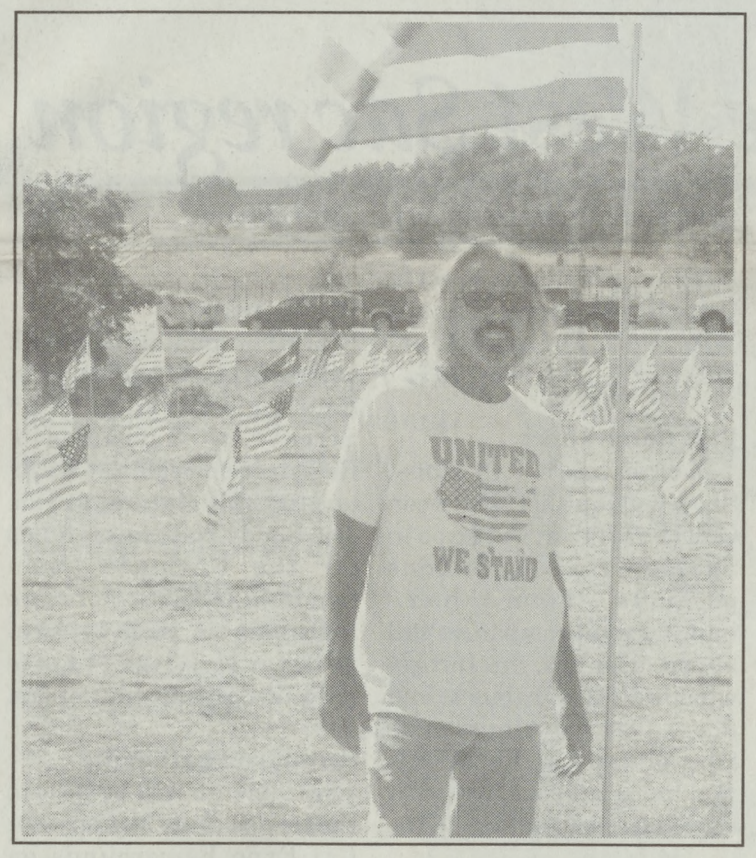


John Vinson was back, commemorating the attacks of 9/11 with a display of American flags along Jefferson Boulevard in Southport last Thursday. The display took place on public property through an agreement with the city redevelopment agency.

Passing cars frequently honked their approval.

"This is the sixth year," said Vinson. "There are 115 flags, and they'll be up from dawn to dusk."

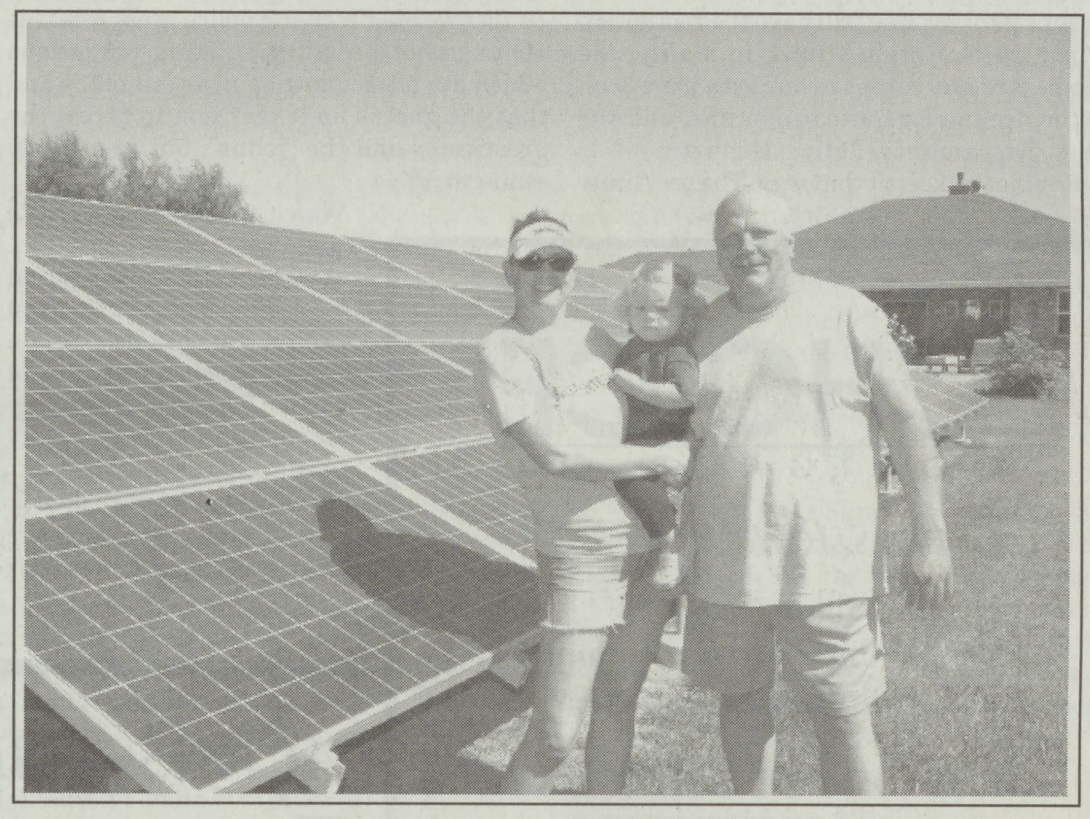
Vinson, a contractor by trade, began his observance of the tragedy with an American flag flown from a bridge above a freeway in Sacramento in 2002. When his display grew, Caltrans told him he would have to move it.

The annual observance has become a fixture on September 11 each year in West Sacramento.

"We'll be back next year, here or somewhere," he said.

Making watts

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor



STEFANI & DAVID BLAKE, with granddaughter RILEE CARTER. The trio are in their front yard, next to one of two 30-foot solar arrays facing south into the sun

The Blakes have their own little power plant.

You can see it in their front yard near Jefferson Boulevard, deep in Southport. That's where David and Stefani Blake, known around town primarily for their "Glass West" glass business, have installed two 30-foot solar arrays.

David Blake said that, with up to seven family members in the house, the PG&E bill got pretty high before they put in their own solar panels.

"The average bill around here is $650-700 per month in the summer," he said. "In the winter, it's around $450. There's seven of us doing laundry and taking showers – and kids leaving the lights on."

They had looked into solar electricity before, and the conversation usually stopped when the vendor explained that putting solar panels on the roof would only cover around 40 percent of their electricity needs.

"They were all sticklers about putting them on the roof or on the garage," said Stefani Blake.

Then one day the Blakes were shopping in Costco, and a solar contractor with a display inside the store started talking to them.

"We were just getting some food, doing some shopping, and they stopped us," said Dave Blake. They invited the contractor to view the house, which sits on a full acre – much of which is relatively-unused front yard space.

"At first, they still wanted to put the panels on the south side of the roof and garage, and it was still only going to provide 40 percent of our electricity," said Dave. "But they finally looked at the front yard."

Up went an 11,000-kilowatt system, built by REC Solar Inc. The system was sized to cover the Blakes' needs, without producing too much extra electricity – since the extra juice simply flows back onto the grid for PG&E to use for free.

So far, it looks like the new system is just right.

Dave Blake pointed at a digital display showing how much electricity the system was generating on a warm, sunny day last week:

"Right now, it's doing 8,571 kilowatts here at three in the afternoon," he said. "Hot and sunny is not the best time. Cool & sunny is best for efficiency of these panels. We turned it on in September. By the end of the year, we had produced $262 worth of electricity more than we had used. PG&E gets to take that for free and sell it to Jose next door!"

The Blakes explained that PG&E runs a yearly tally showing how much juice is produced each month – and will bill them only if they consume more than they produce in that year. A graph provided by the utility company shows that the Blakes' solar panels produced more than the family needed for all but a few months in the winter.

"So the only thing we pay on PG&E is $4.44 per month, which is their service charge," said Stefani Blake.

The system doesn't include any storage batteries, so "when your power goes out, so does ours," said David Blake.

So did their investment "pencil out"?

"The cost was $92,800," said David Blake. "The federal government paid $23,209 – which was another reason we jumped on it. Then we got $2,000 cash back on our taxes – it ended up costing us $68,000."

The Blake's are making loan payments for ten years – for which the money they save is about equal to the amount of the payments.

"It's a 'wash' for the ten years we have the loan," he said.

But the system has a 25-year expected life, he said. So the electricity they generate after the loan is paid off will be nearly free – even if electricity rates go up. And there is legislation in the works that just might require PG&E to pay local generators like the Blakes' for any of their surplus wattage, instead of simply taking it for free.

"It's one of the best decisions we ever made for the house," said Stefani Blake.

"It also feels good to be doing something 'green,' added her husband.

Missing football cash

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

The woman accused of embezzling $11,000 from a local youth football league has told the News-Ledger that she didn't take the money – and that she has been trying unsuccessfully to get the league to come up with missing invoices and other documentation that could explain where its money went.

"One of the invoices I asked (league president Andy Alvarez) for was from P.E. Gear," said the accused, former league treasurer Gina Rinetti. "It's for $30,000. That's the company that Andy listed as his employer. Another invoice is from Athletics Unlimited, for $11,000." She said she still hasn't seen the documents.

Rinetti also told the News-Ledger she has filed a complaint with the Attorney General's office and other authorities regarding how the league has been handling its money. She was asking for an audit of the nonprofit group. Last week, she paid a call on the local police department and named several officers of the league in a complaint.

"The reason I went there was to turn in all my financial documents and a laptop computer that was used when I was a treasurer," Rinetti said last week. "I know there's money missing. I don't know how they came up with that

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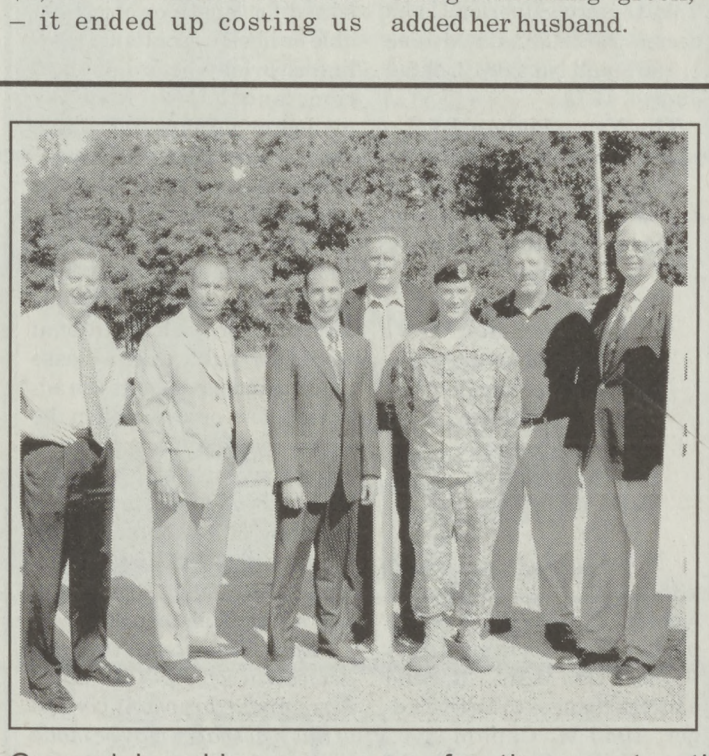
Levee project at I Street

From the City of West Sacramento

The City of West Sacramento and the West Sacramento Area Flood Control Agency (WSAFCA) are initiating construction of the I Street Bridge Site Levee Improvement Project. This project will provide a 475-foot long slurry wall within the existing levee fronting the new CalSTRS building under construction along the West Sacramento Riverwalk Promenade. The levee project will conclude in early November.

This project is part of a much larger system-wide improvement program to upgrade the flood protection system surrounding the city. WSAFCA seeks to provide West Sacramento with 200 year or greater flood protection. WSAFCA is conducting programmatic levee investigations and partnering with federal and state agencies to fund, design and construct levee improvements.

WSAFCA, in partnership with the United States Army Corp of Engineers and the California Department of Water Resources, is initiating a General Reevaluation Report (GRR). This report is a complete analysis of the levee system protecting the city. The study will begin later this year and take approximately two years to complete. The GRR will result in Federal authorization for the project and appropriations for the levee improvements. Before completion of the GRR, the City and WSAFCA are taking the lead on accelerating levee improvements such as the I Street Bridge area project. Partnerships with the Federal and State Government, the Army Corp, and DWR will be needed.



Ground breaking ceremony for the construction improvements to the northeast levee last Wednesday. Officials attending the ceremony (left to right) Council Member Mark Johannessen; Council Member Oscar Villegas; Mayor Christopher Cabaldon; Mayor Pro Tem Bill Kristoff; Col. Thomas Chapman, Commander, US Army Corps of Engineers; Council Member Wes Beers; and Central Valley Flood Protection Board Member John Brown. (Courtesy of City of West Sacramento)

Is she or isn't she?

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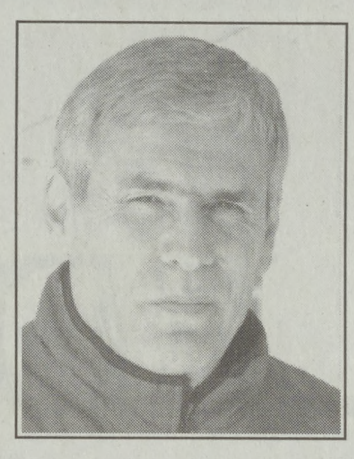

By Daryl Fisher

Note: Daryl is on vacation at the ocean this week. Below is one of his favorite columns from the past.

As some of you may recall, last year I wrote a front page article that centered around an interview I did with a West Sacramento prostitute, and with the help of some very scientific *News-Ledger* polling data (a couple of subscribers called in to say it was just the kind of sexy (so-to-speak) story the *News-Ledger* needs to do more often), it was decided by my editor, Steve Marschke, that if and when an opportunity should ever present itself, I was to do a follow-up to the story. Well, as fate would have it, the friendly, chatty, fidgety, dirty, and strung-out-on-drugs prostitute I had interviewed apparently left this area shortly after my article appeared in the newspaper, or at least she is no longer among the "working girls" I often see on my way to and from work on West Capitol Avenue, and therefore no follow-up story has been possible.

Anyway, I learned from doing the interview that although sections of West Sacramento's West Capitol Avenue still have the reputation of being prostitution strolls, in reality, the numbers of prostitutes in our area have been on the decline for quite some time, and the West Sacramento Police Department is determined to keep it that way. The prostitute I interviewed said she was always being stopped by the local police and checked for warrants and drugs and that in her opinion, "The West Sac police are kissing butt – at least they're kicking mine pretty regularly." I've also noticed lately that here at the *News-Ledger* we are receiving police press releases about major prostitution sting operations which are often going on near our office and that the goal is no longer just to arrest the prostitutes and the "johns", but to publicly name them.

Which brings me to my little story.

"You know that prostitution article I did last year that you wanted me to follow-up on because it got quite a bit of reaction?" I said to Steve early last week.

"Yeah, what about it?"

"Well, I still want to do it."

"But didn't you say the prostitute you interviewed is no longer around?"

"Yeah," I answered, "but I figure I could talk to just about any local prostitute and at least find out if things have changed much up on West Capitol Avenue lately."

"I guess that's true."

"Like for instance, the one that's up there right now," I said, dragging Steve out the front door of the *News-Ledger* office and pointing out a rather attractive, shapely young blond in a sexy short skirt who was standing fifty yards or so away from us.

"That doesn't look like a prostitute to me," said Steve with surprising conviction.

"And since when do you know what a prostitute looks like?" I asked him with a smile.

"Well," he said, returning my smile, "let's just say that one doesn't exactly look like the last one you interviewed who had a couple of black eyes and was in desperate need of a bath. I know she's standing where all the prostitutes normally do, and she's certainly dressed like one, but I wouldn't be surprised if she's actually a police decoy."

"A police decoy? You really think so?

"That would be my guess. And if I were you, if you do decide to go up and interview her, I would be very careful about what you say."

"What do you mean?"

"Well, didn't you give that other prostitute you interviewed twenty bucks or something for her time?"

"Yeah."

"Well," said Steve, pointing to the woman off in the distance, "I bet if you offer than young lady twenty bucks, you'll end up on a phone down at the police station calling me to come bail you out of jail."

Anyway, since it was time to walk over to the post office and get the mail, and since my path would cross right by the prostitute/decoy in question, I informed Steve that I was going to stroll by her and get a better feel for the whole situation.

"Just be careful," he reminded me again, "because if she is a police decoy, she has backup nearby and one wrong word or move on your part and you're on your way to jail."

So, with the potential headline "Local columnist Daryl Fisher recently arrested for soliciting sex" in the back of my head, I set off to bravely go where no *News-Ledger* reporter had ever gone before – right into the heart of what could possibly be an undercover police sting operation.

Within a few strides of her, she turned and greeted me with a very friendly smile. I smiled back.

"Hi there," she said flirtatiously, and for some reason (probably the stress), I relied with "Howdy", having to my knowledge never before in my whole life used that particular salutation. Then, just as I was about to open my big mouth again (and even I never know exactly what is going to come out of it), there was the definitive proof I needed to just kept right on shuffling along as quickly as I could on my way towards the post office.

And when I got back to the News-Ledger, mail in hand, Steve said, "Well, did you interview that prostitute?"

"Nope," I said. "You were right. She's a police decoy."

"And just how do you know that for sure?"

"Her feet."

"Her feet?"

"That's right, her feet. She was wearing sandals, and those were the cleanest, best-looking feet I've seen in ages. New nail polish, toe rings, you name it."

"But what's that got to do with anything?" asked Steve, laughing.

"Just call me suspicious," I said, "but if you ask me, no way does a real prostitute go and get herself a pedicure just before she hits the streets."

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Events around the West Sac region

Celebration for the deaf

The California Association of the Deaf will hold a public celebration recognizing the human right to sign language and equal opportunity in all aspects of a deaf person's life on September 26th at the California State Capitol (south side) in downtown Sacramento from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Speakers, storytellers and other entertainment will be part of the celebration. All are invited to attend.

Peace dinner

Join the Teach Peace Foundation in celebrating an Evening of Peace on September 21st from 6-9 p.m. at the Greek Orthodox Annunciation Hall, 600 Alhambra Boulevard in Sacramento. This annual awards dinner recognizes outstanding accomplishments, helps raise funds to teach peace, and brings peacemakers together. To purchase tickets, visit www.teachpeace.com. For more information, call 530-204-7227.

Yoga aid challenge

The Yoga community will be raising funds for various charities on September 27th at Discovery Park (at the point of the Sacramento River and American River) in Sacramento. Yoga Aid Challenge is a two-hour practice with 12 local yoga studios leading 108 sun salutations at sunrise. Arrive at 6:30 a.m. for a 7 a.m. sunrise start. For more information (sponsor, partner, donate or volunteer) go to *Alicia.yogaaid@gmail.com.*

Antique evaluations

Got flea market finds, family heirlooms, or junkyard gems? Take them to be professionally evaluated on October 4th from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. to the Folsom History Museum, 823 Sutter Street in Folsom. $8 per evalutions or 5 for $35. For additional information, call 985-2707.

Fall home show

Sacramento's Fall Home Show will take place between October 17-19 at Cal Expo in Sacramento. Numerous products from home improvement companies will be on display, including windows, doors, cabinets and floors. General admission is $6. Cal Expo parking is $8. For more information visit *www.sachomeandgardenshow.com.*

Wildlife tours

Stone Lakes National Wildlife Refuge will offer a free docent guided hike on September 27th. Meet the docent at 9 a.m. at the Elk Grove gate (Elk Grove Boulevard exit on west side of Interstate 5). The trail consists of a two-mile roundtrip leading through Central Valley seasonal wetland habitats, where you will see early fall birds and wildlife such as shorebirds and hawks. Children are welcome, but pets must stay at home. For more information, visit www.fws.gov/stonelakes.

Buddy walk

The 4th Annual Buddy Walk will be held on October 4th at Southside Park, 2115 6th Street in Sacramento. Registration begins at 9 a.m. and the walk starts at 11 a.m. The Buddy Walk raises funds for the National Down Syndrome Society. For more information and to pre-register, go to www.downsyndromeinfor.org.

Street rod gathering

Sacramento will be host to the Golden State Nationals at Cal Expo Fairgrounds on October 3-5. Spectators will be treated to the sights and sounds of some of the best constructed, most beautiful vintage automobiles ever to gather in one place. The event will also include over 75 manufacturer displays. For more information, visit http://www.nsra-usa.com.

SCC music concert

Sacramento City Music instructor Matthew Grasso will present a solo classical guitar concert on October 7th

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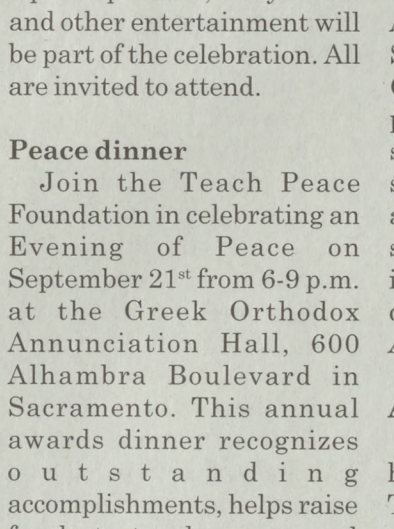

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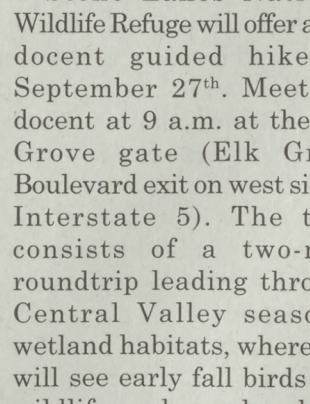

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SPORTS

Raider football opens with loss

The River City High School football team visited the San Juan Spartans on Friday for its season opener.

The Raiders' varsity squad suffered a 20-14 defeat to San Juan in overtime.

The RCHS junior varsity squad was defeated by the San Juan Spartans 48-12.

RCHS will host Highlands this Friday evening at home.

Youth football

The West Sacramento Junior Raiders football league wrapped up another week of action on Saturday against the visiting Highland Scots:

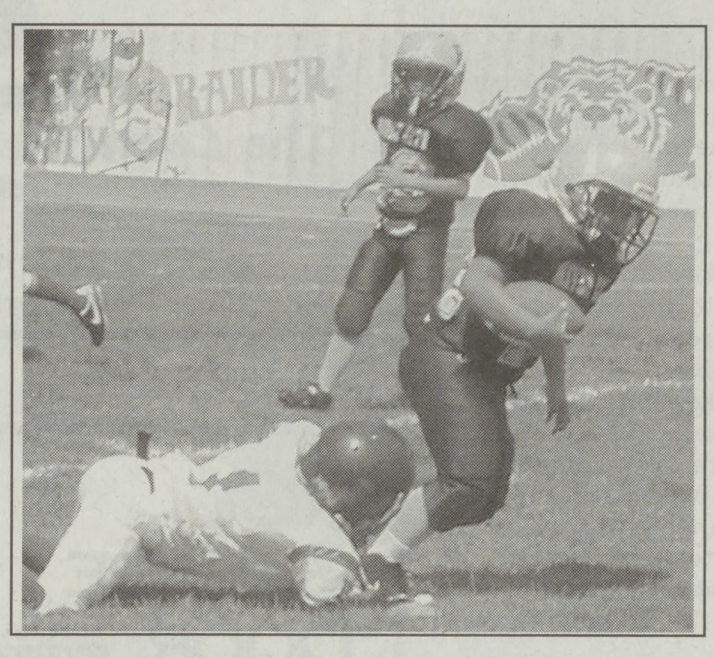
Outcomes for the Junior Raiders:

Junior Pee Wees won 41-18.

Pee-Wees won 34-12.

Junior Midgets won 46-0.

Midgets won 34-0.



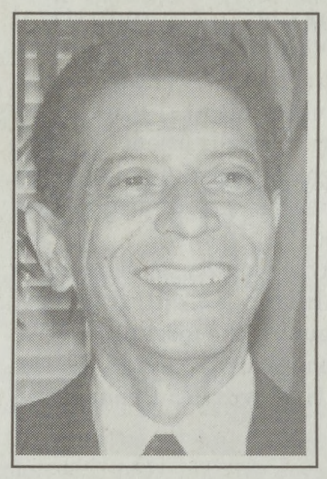
ABOVE RIGHT: Antonio Gonzales of the Junior Pee-Wees breaks a tackle

RIGHT: Antonio Robles leaves the field after his first taste of game-time play in the two-week young season.

Photos & information by Anthony Robles

SPORTS INSIDER

By Richard Novoa



By Richard Novoa

The Sacramento River Cats won the 2008 Pacific Coast League Championship Trophy again on Sunday afternoon in Oklahoma City with a 4-2 victory against the Oklahoma RedHawks.

Both Sacramento outfielders Chris Denorfia and Carlos Gonzalez had outstanding series earning them Co-PCL Postseason Most Valuable Player Award. Denorfia, the club's leadoff hitter throughout the playoffs, hit .486 (17-for-35) with 12 runs scored and four home runs in the playoffs while Gonzalez hit .406 (13-for-32) with eight RBIs.

Sacramento will play a one game winner-take-all Triple-A Championship against the Scranton/Wilkes-Barre Yankees, winners of the International League Championship Series. at Oklahoma City's AT&T Bricktown Ballpark on Tuesday, September 16 at 5 p.m. PST. (press time for me is Tuesday morning).

It was the team's second consecutive PCL crown and their fourth in the last six seasons but the amazing fact is that Los Gatos won the title despite 188 player transactions between the Oakland A's and their other minor league affiliates but more importantly is was accomplished with a first year coach in Todd Steverson. Congratulations River Cats!

Diamond Notes

It was a beautiful weekend for bay area sports fans with the A's and Giants winning both of their weekend games and the River Cats knocking down their championship but who expected the 49ers and Raiders to win on the road.

Both the A's (69-80) and the G-Men (68-82) have thrown in the towel with only 12 games remaining in the 2008 season but it's still fun watching the youngsters battle for their spots on the team next year.

The A's need to release players like Jack Cust, who needs 7 more strikeouts this year to break Rob Deer's A.L record of 186 whiffs and promote few of the champion River Cats.

The Giants are in the same boat as the A' with veteran players on the roster who are past their prime.

The Giants have a great young starting pitching staff that includes my choice for the Cy Young Award in Tim Lincecum. The 24-year-old pitched his best game of the year last week shutting out the Padres on 138 pitches while striking out 12 Padres to increase his league lead to 237 and lowering his N.L. best ERA to 2.43.

The A's are home this week against the Angels and Rangers while the G-Men hit the road as spoilers to Arizona and Los Angeles.

NFL Week 3

The Raiders (1-1) beat the Chiefs 23-8 and made them officially the worst team in the NFL. Oakland still had nine penalties but with a wind storm preventing a passing game the Raiders offensive line opened up huge holes for their two rookie running backs Michael Bush and Darren McFadden, who rush for 233 yards and two TD's.

But it was really Sebastian Janikowski who locked up the win for the Silver and Black with three field goals and two extra points. Sea Bass broke his own record with a 56-yard field goal bringing his nine year career total to 821. George Blanda owns the Raiders record with 863 career points.

The 49ers (1-1) tried hard to lose their game in Seattle in the first quarter by spotting the Seahawks 14 points but after adjusting to the rowdy crowd noise the Niners settled down and won an impressive 33-30 game in overtime.

If new quarterback J.T. O'Sullivan continues to play like he did in Seattle the 49ers might become a NFL's surprise team of the year. J.T. threw for 321 yards which was the most yards a Niners QB has thrown since Tim Rattay threw for 417 yards in October 2004. The Seahawks sacked O'Sullivan eight times and just about chased him out of the stadium but the ex-UC Davis star remained calm in orchestrating the Niners offense in a very impressive fourth quarter drive.

Both teams now face the hardest part of playing in the NFL which is winning back to back games. The Raiders (+9 ½) have a tough game in Buffalo (10 a.m.) as they try to save Coach Lane Kiffin's job while the 49ers (-3) host the winless Detroit Lions (1 p.m.).

Aztec's Picks

The dog's college pick, East Carolina won their game but failed to cover the spread so Aztec needed some extra salvia this week when he drools on his cousins, the Fresno Bulldogs (-6 ½) in Toledo as his "College Lick of the Week".

In the NFL, Aztec (4-3) did OK with Arizona and the Eagles, who covered on Monday, but the Houston Texans game was postponed due inclement weather so the dog finished the second week 2-1 overall.

Next Sunday his Niners (-3) will cage the Lions in SF while Da Bears (-3) claw the Bucs in their home opener and on Monday night the Chargers (-9) will make Bretty and the Jets their first win of the season.

WNBA

The Sacramento Monarchs (18-16), who finished the regular season with two losses, will meet the San Antonio Silver Stars (24-10) in the best of three games in the first round of the WNBA playoffs beginning Thursday night at the Arco Arena.

Enjoy your day – see ya next week!

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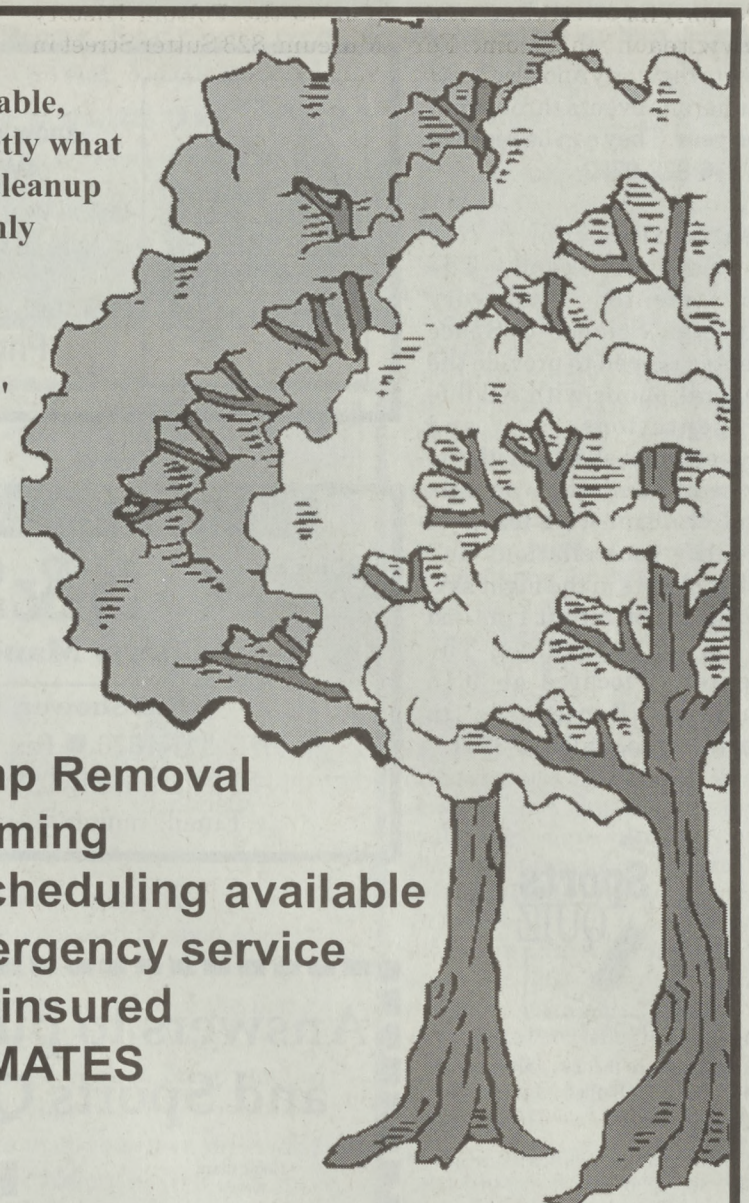

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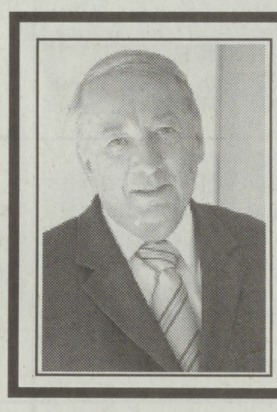

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LETTERS from page seven

ready, it's coming.
IRENE EKLUND
West Sacramento

No prison here!

(This is an open letter to the Yolo County Board of Supervisors)

It has come to our attention that none of the cities within Yolo County have officially voted for or against a prison being built within their city limits. Thus, the contention that the cities do not want a prison is not an official position, and we believe the cities should take an official position before the county proceeds with a vote on building a prison in a rural area of the county.

This is yet another reason why we urge the Yolo County Board of Supervisors to seek an extension of the Sept. 16th deadline set by the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation.

Furthermore, we believe that if the board of supervisors is intent on making industrial development a reality in Madison, then the development must be agriculturally oriented and/or highway commercial (i.e., gas stations, truck stops, fast food).

Yolo County is situated in California's Central Valley, arguably the most productive agricultural region in the entire world. Preserving farmland for food production is a much higher priority than turning it into a prison. From the standpoint of food security alone, it is critical that all the leaders of our county understand how important it is to protect farmland from development. While $30 million sounds like a lot of money, it is no comparison to the value of farmland to our society.

If the board is determined to turn the farmland in and around Madison into an industrial area, then let's develop that land into an agricultural support industry such as food processing. There are many food-processing companies—everything from canneries and baby-food manufacturers to tortilla factories—that could employ 300 or more people. Unlike a prison, a food-processing company in Madison would provide tax revenue to the county.

If Madison is to be developed, we would much rather see it become a food-company town, not a prison town.
BRUCE & ROBYN ROMINGER
Yolo County

'Environmental'?

Six bicycles, a compressor, a few tools, an apparently cheap wood-working bench, and a $50,000 building to house five of the bicycles? Really. I didn't know we were so penny wise and pound foolish, let alone so gullible. Maybe you could ask our city staff to kindly figure out the "carbon footstomp" created from the entire harvesting, mining, transport to manufacturing, transport to warehousing, transport to retail distribution, transport to the job site, and then the transport of workers, not only to said site to build this thing, but to each of the previous steps required to just get to the erection of our environmentally conscious bike barn? Just how long will it take before the lower CF's of the bicycles to offset the entire cost of the CF's and cash expenditures we've had squandered by our elected "Bryte Ones" thus far?

What I'm asking is: Did the city file an environmental impact report? A complete, diligent and thorough one? After all, one must be completely environmentally conscious, mustn't one?
J. BESHARIAN
West Sacramento

Pro-Palin

The national spotlight has made Sarah Palin, the Republican VP choice, the Cinderella story of the year. From mayor, to governor, to VP choice, her poise, strength, independence and bold rhetoric makes her very appealing to voters. May I say there are millions of us who think this governor with cutting edge skills will be the next vice president of the United States.
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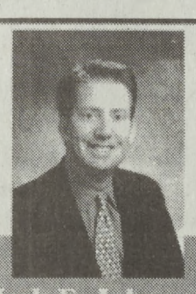
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BRIDGE from p. 2

from 12-1 p.m. in room A6 (Little Theatre) of the SCC music building. In addition to self-composed pieces, Grasso will perform works by Bach, Ravel, Bernstein, Rachmaninoff and Debussy.

For more information call 558-2515.

Sock hop

Towe Auto Museum, located on Front Street in Sacramento, will hold a sock hop and ice cream social with a drive-in-movie in their parking lot on September 20th. Tickets are $25 per person and doors open at 5:30 p.m. Enjoy the museum, a raffle, and dancing, along with Vic's Ice Cream, which will be available for purchase. For more information, call 442-6802.

African violet show

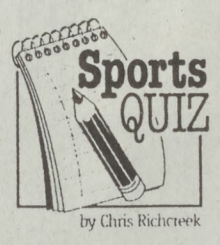
The Delta Gesneriad and African Violet Society will hold their annual African Violet Show and Sale on September 27 (2-5 pm) and September 28 (10-4) at the Sacramento Garden & Arts Center, 3330 McKinley Boulevard in Sacramento. Free parking and admission.

Widowed persons meet

The Widowed Persons Association of California meets regularly and also hosts numerous events throughout the year. They can be reached at 916-972-9722.

See the stars

Each weekend, The Sacramento Discovery Museum Science & Space Center is open to provide the general public with wildlife presentations and planetarium shows. With the price of admission, parents and children can learn to identify constellations and other objects in the night sky. Presentations are at 1 pm and 3 pm on Saturdays. The Center is located at 3615 Auburn Boulevard in Sacramento. Call 575-3941.



1. When was the last time before 2007 that the Philadelphia Phillies won the National League East championship?
2. How many major-league teams made the playoffs at least once between 2006 and 2007?
3. Since the Atlantic Coast Conference expanded to 12 football teams before the 2005 season, how many Bowl Championship Series bowl games has the ACC won?
4. Four times a member of the Orlando Magic has won the NBA's Most Improved Player Award. Name two of the four players.
5. Name the teams involved in the last Stanley Cup Finals before 2008 that featured no Canadian teams.
6. Who has won the women's U.S. Open bowling event the most times?
7. Name the first Asian boxer to win title belts in four weight classes.

Answers

1. It was 1993.
2. Fifteen of them. Only the New York Yankees made a repeat appearance.
3. None.
4. Scott Skiles (1994), Darrell Armstrong (1999), Tracy McGrady (2001) and Hedo Turkoglu (2008).
5. The New Jersey Devils beat the Mighty Ducks of Anaheim in seven games in 2003.
6. Marion Ladewig won it eight times (1949, '50, '51, '52, '54, '56, '59 and '63).
7. Manny Pacquiao (112 pounds, 122 pounds, 130 pounds and 135 pounds).

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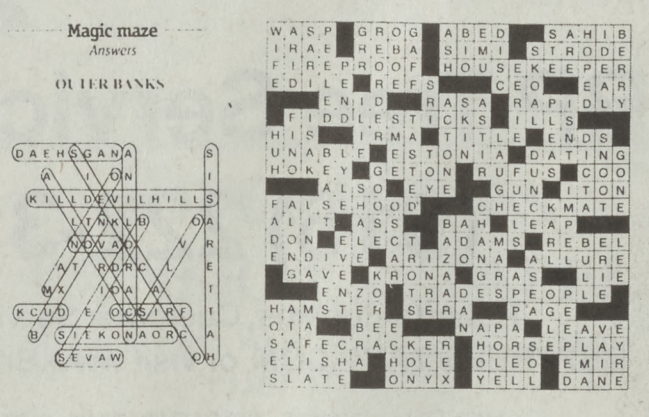
Anna Street Baptist Church Rev. Norman Pollitt, 371-6560 1400 Anna St., W. Sac. Sunday School 10 a.m. Sunday Worship 11 a.m. Prayer Time 6:30 p.m.	**Community Lutheran Church** Rev. Marjorie C. Beach, Pastor 920 Drever St., 371-8804 10 a.m. Worship/Sunday School Friendly, inclusive faith language, Progressive thea/logy LGBT, Interfaith folks welcome www.community-lutheran-church.net	**Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church** 911 Park Blvd., 371-4814 Father Jos. Karikattil, Pastor Masses: Sat. Vigil 5:30pm Sunday 9 & 10:30 a.m. Weekdays 7 a.m. No Mass on Thursday
Center for Spiritual Awareness 1020 W. Capitol Ave., 374-9177 Sun. services 9 & 11 am Meditation at 10:30 a.m. Praise & worship 10:45 a.m. Junior church for all ages at 11 am	**Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints** 2667 Linden Road Bishop Laramie Taylor (916) 743-5265 Sunday Meeting Times: Sacrament Meeting, 9 a.m. PUBLIC WELCOME!	**Seventh Day Adventist Church** Frank Hightower, Elder 519-5329 2860 Jefferson Blvd., W. Sac. PO Box 447, W. Sac. 95691 Sat. Sabbath School 9:30 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. 372-6570
Trinity Presbyterian Church 1500 Park Blvd., W. Sac. Rev. Steve Whitney (916) 371-5875 9am: Family-Friendly Contemporary Service 11am: Blended Traditional & Contemporary Service	**Holy Cross Catholic Church** 1321 Anna St. (near Todhunter) Pastor Giancarlo Mittempergher Sat. Vigil 5 p.m. (English) Sunday 9 (English) Noon & 7 p.m. (Spanish) Mon 8:30am, Tues-Wed 7am, Thurs. 6:45 (Spanish), Fri. 8:30 a.m. Call 371-1211	**First Southern Baptist Church** Rev. Don Parker Sun. School 9:30 a.m. Sun. Worship 11am Wed. 6:30pm Prayer Meeting & Bible Study 2124 Michigan Blvd. 371-2111
SouthPort Community Church Pastor Bruce Maier Celebration Worship Sunday 10:30 a.m. KidLand during service. Youth & Small Group Ministry for All Ages. Call 372-7818. Meets at 2919 Promenade St. www.southportcommunity.com	**WestSide Covenant Church** Worship Services at Collings Teen Center 1541 Merkley Ave. Sundays 10 a.m. & 6 p.m. www.westsidecov.org 371-3933	**New Discovery Christian Church** Now meeting at Bryte Elem. School, 637 Todhunter Ave., West Sacramento at 10:30 a.m. Nondemoninational. Casual dress. Pastor Jerry Green (916) 933-2351
Horizon Christian Fellowship Rev. Claude J Perez, Sr., Pastor 1800 Manzanita Way, 371-3458 SUN. Worship 9:15 am, 11 am & 6pm WED. Bible Study 7pm 'Celebrate Recovery', 'Girls Ministries' & 'Royal Rangers', all at 6:30 p.m. THURS. Youth Group 7pm	**Radiant Life Church of West Sacramento** 3605 Gregory Ave (in Southport, where Jefferson, Davis & Gregory meet) Worship Sun. 10 a.m. Youth Tuesday 6:30 p.m. Call 371-6706 Visit: www.radiantlifewest.com	**Fresh Oil Kingdom Ministries** Meeting every Sunday at 3pm Turner Library Community Rm 1212 Merkley Ave (916) 617-4377 Bible-based ministry. Pastors: William & Rachel Wiley Bible study each Wed. 7pm, 1479 Barona St., W Sac.

Answers to puzzles (p. 8) and Sports Quiz (p. 3)



Differences: 1. Catcher's shirt has a stripe. 2. Batter has a hat. 3. Mom's collar is different. 4. Sofa has no ruffle. 5. Picture is tilted-differently. 6. There's more glass on floor.

Go Figure!

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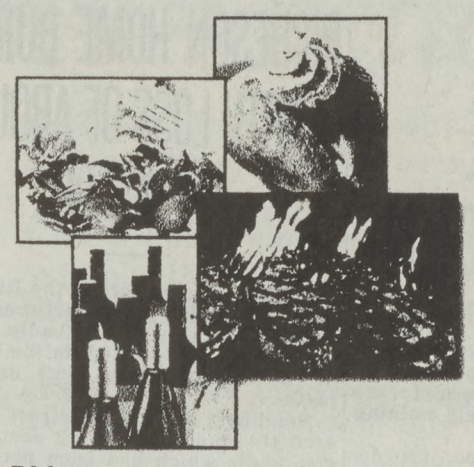

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New master plan for Yolo County

From the County of Yolo

On Wednesday, the Yolo County Draft General Plan was released to the public. On September 16, a joint meeting of the Yolo County Board of Supervisors and the Planning Commission will be held to receive a presentation on the Draft General Plan. The General Plan is the basic document used by local government in land use planning. It provides the comprehensive long-term plan for the physical development of the county, and is often referred to as "the constitution" of the county. All cities and counties are required, under state law, to have one.

The last update was in 1983, based on the county's original General Plan from 1958. In May 2003, the Board of Supervisors gave direction to begin the current General Plan update process. This is only the third time in the county's history that the General Plan has been comprehensively updated. While the fundamental land use goals of promoting agriculture and directing urban growth to the cities have not changed, circumstances facing the county have changed. Agriculture requires flexibility to allow it to branch out into processing and tourism related businesses. Similarly, several of the county's small towns require new infrastructure, investment, and services that can accompany well-designed growth. There is also a greater need for economic development to provide growth and stability to the county revenues that pay for local services. This General Plan update allows the county to examine these issues and chart a course for the future that meets these challenges.

Yolo County is 653,549 acres in size, of which 32,325 acres (just under 5%) lies within the four incorporated cities. Currently, approximately 23,265 residents live in 7,263 homes within the remaining 95% of the county, along side 430 acres of job-producing commercial and industrial land. Under the existing 1983 General Plan, another 11,240 residents, 4,014 homes, and 1,440 acres of commercial and industrial land could be added. The Preferred Land Use Alternative, adopted by the Board of Supervisors on September 18, 2007, is the basis for creating the General Plan update. In addition to the 1983 General Plan, it would allow for another 26,600 residents, 9,500 homes, and 901 acres of economic development through the year 2030.

Comments on the document will be accepted by the Planning and Public Works Department through November 20, 2008. Visit: www.yolocountygeneralplan.org.

POLICE LOG

Sept. 11, 9:45 a.m.
In central West Sacramento, a subject was reported to be taking photos of a woman and her home. Her family had been victims of a convicted stalker and there had been violations of a restraining order.

Sept. 11, 6 a.m.
A vehicle was reported burglarized on Berry Creek Road.

Sept. 11, 10 a.m.
A stereo and CDs were reported stolen from a vehicle on Evergreen Circle.

Sept. 11, 8:42 a.m.
On Denise Court, officers responded to the report of a woman causing a disturbance and threatening neighbors. They met a 42-year resident who appeared intoxicated. She ran from officers and was taken down with a control hold, when she continued kicking and resisted. The woman was jailed.

Sept. 11, 10:30 a.m.
A West Sacramento man said a stereo, TV monitor & DVD player were stolen from his vehicle, which had been impounded and stored at a Houston Street towyard.

Sept. 12, 8:32 a.m.
On Jasmine Avenue, a suspect drove onto a home's lawn and caused damage. The subject was also in violation of a temporary restraining order. He drove away after the vandalism.

Sept. 12, 10:30 p.m.
A Southport man was reported to be drunk and holding a loaded gun in his home. Police booked the gun for safekeeping.

Sept. 13, 2:35 a.m.
Multiple alarm signals were received from a commercial building on the 3900-block of Industrial Blvd.

Sept. 13, 6:47 a.m.
On Anna Street, a vehicle was reported stolen.

Sept. 13, 8:49 a.m.
A vehicle was reported stolen on Reuter Drive.

Sept. 13, 9:52 a.m.
The catalytic converter was reported to have been stolen from a vehicle parked on Vermont Avenue during the night.

Sept. 13, 10:01 a.m.
A fire was reported in a Lighthouse Drive apartment complex.

Sept. 13, 10:08 a.m.
A Southport woman said her ex-husband refused to return their 10-year old son, who was due at her home in June. She said she had no custody-related paperwork.

Sept. 13, 10:30 a.m.
On Promenade Street, the window was reported broken on a commercial building.

Sept. 13, noon
A woman said that computers had been taken from a Harbor Blvd. storage unit. She believed her mother removed them.

Sept. 13, 2 p.m.
At a gas station on the 2800-block of West Capitol, a woman was reported to be selling prescription medication. She was currently in the restroom, changing clothes and cleaning up.

Sept. 13, 2:14 p.m.
A caller reported a vandal at the new high school site, on the 2800-block of Jefferson. The driver had seen a youth kicking over traffic cones and carrying a can of spray paint.

Sept. 13, 4:50 p.m.
A woman said her 15-year old son had stolen candy from a market on the 3100-block of Jefferson Blvd. The market did not wish to press charges, but she requested that police counsel the boy.

Sept. 13, 6:35 p.m.
A caller from Limewood Road said subjects in a three-wheel, lime-green electric vehicle were driving "recklessly." The caller didn't believe the vehicle was "street legal."

Sept. 13, 6:59 p.m.
A woman at a West Capitol mobilehome park reported that neighbors were threatening to "cut her head off." The woman said she had ongoing problems with them.

Sept. 13, 11:53 p.m.
A Ford F-350 pickup truck was reported to have been stolen within the last five days from a location near Northport Drive and Commerce Drive.

Sept. 13, 11:12 a.m.
An intoxicated subject entered a home on Seabrook Circle and threw a large rock threw the front window. The act caused about $1,300 in damage. The suspect was taken to a hospital after suffering moderate injuries, and for being "severely intoxicated."

Sept. 14, 2:20 a.m.
On the 800-block of Sacramento Avenue, a 33-year old man was arrested after firing a round from a 45 caliber handgun into his apartment porch. A witness signed a citizen's arrest.

Sept. 14, 1:58 p.m.
Security personnel at a retailer on Ikea Court saw a woman in the men's department with empty shopping bags from the store. She made three trips from the department, filling the bags with merchandise and taking them to her cart, containing her children, near a customer service center. Then she attempted to leave without paying. She was placed under citizen's arrest.

Sept. 14, 7:08 p.m.
Security at the same retailer saw four subjects in the health/beauty area who appeared to be watching the store's cameras. One of the subjects, a 33-year old woman, put some hair products in her purse, then went through the checkout line and paid only for a 58-cent candy item. She was placed under citizen's arrest for shoplifting.

Sept. 14, 9:21 p.m.
On 4th Street, a brother and sister were reported to be in a fight. The brother left. Police arrived and arrested the woman for intoxication.

Sept. 14, 9:45 p.m.
In the north area, a man and woman were involved in a domestic dispute. The man got into a verbal dispute with the woman's father. She told police the man had assaulted her earlier in Folsom, but she did not wish to press charges.

Sept. 14, 11:44 p.m.
An officer saw a man riding a bike eastbound on the 2400-block of West Capitol. The officer recognized the man from a booking photo and knew he was wanted on a warrant. He found the subject "extremely intoxicated," and arrested him.

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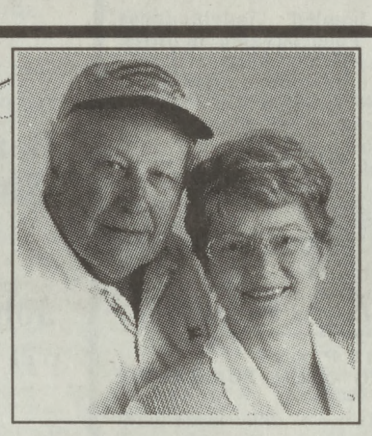

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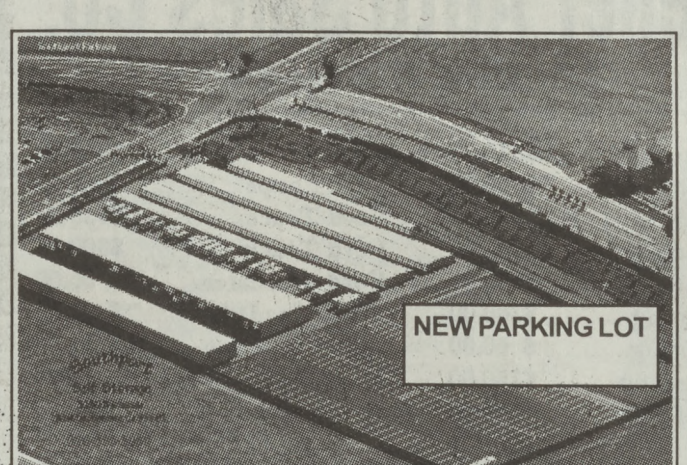

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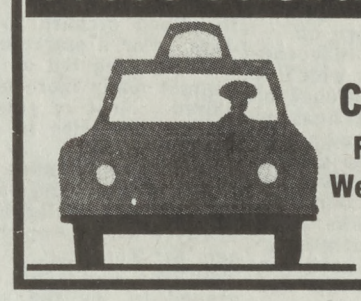

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WASHINGTON NEWS ITEMS

The Sacramento River registered one foot eleven inches, United States gauge at the Southern Pacific bridge yesterday. This stage of the river is only nominal for frequently a reading of over three feet can be made at the government gauge. It is believed by those who have known the river for many years past that the gauge will reach now lower during the present season because the incoming tide will always make a reading equal to or stronger than that above mentioned. From the semi-monthly crop and livestock notes sent out by the California Co-operative Crop Reporting Service and dated July 16, the following is taken:

This report just released by the California Co-operative Crop Reporting Service summarizes conditions of the past two weeks as follows:

Weather conditions during the past fortnight were extremely variable. Temperatures were high the first week and averaged above normal, while during the second week the weather was noticeably cooler, with temperature averaging somewhat below normal. A few light showers of little value, and restricted principally to the mountainous districts, were reported.

There was very little change in the condition of pasture, which was reported as being about 52 per cent of normal on July 1. Natural feed on the low lands is practically gone but stubble fields are becoming more plentiful as the grain harvest advances and are in good demand at high rates. There is still a fairly good supply of grass on the mountain ranges but the supply of drinking water has become further depleted and disastrous forest fires have destroyed much feed in certain districts. Good yields of alfalfa hay are being obtained in all districts having sufficient water. However, a shortage of gravity water now exists in some localities which will cut short the alfalfa crop for the balance of the season. Although the condition of live stock has been declining during the past few months the condition generally is still fairly good, when considering that the supply of natural feed has been so far below normal.

The extremely warm weather during the latter part of June and early part of July drew heavily upon the small supply of available moisture present in the soil, and the result has made the effects of the drought more noticeable on the fruit crops in unirrigated districts and in those localities where gravity supplies have already given out. In many of the orchards and vineyards in the districts short of gravity water the supply has been supplemented by well water which is holding out very well. However, the use of electric power for pumping purposes has been restricted in some localities. But in spite of the serious drought conditions most fruit crops are in fair condition and it is expected the crops will be matured in fairly good shape.

Due to the recent high temperatures the grape crop suffered some injury from sunburn; however, the loss is not very serious. Reports indicate that very little mildew is present this year. Prunes are dropping to some extent, especially in the localities where the trees are suffering from the lack of water and the attacks of red spider. Gravenstein apples are now moving from Sonoma County. The quality is good but the size is not quite up to normal. Thompson Seedless grapes are being shipped from Kern County which is somewhat earlier than usual. Deciduous fruit shipments to July 6 totaled only 3,642 cars, compared with 5,154 cars on the same date last year.

Gabriel Feher of West Sacramento had one of his hands badly injured last Wednesday when he was thrown from his bicycle on the highway near his home. One finger was badly hurt, the nail being practically torn off.

It last week's issue of the Independent, a mistake occurred in which it was published that Frank Feher of West Sacramento had been held up near his home by two thugs and a shot fired at him. Mr. Feher was greatly surprised on reading the news, declaring that he was at his home all that evening and declared, like Mark Twain, "the report was greatly exaggerated." It was another party on whom the attempt to hold up was tried.

Mrs. Frank Janak has been entertaining her friends, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Somogy and their baby girl, during the past few days. The visitors will go to their home in San Francisco today.

The West Side Auto Camp, west of the subway at Fifth street, continues to improve its accommodations for tourists and has just finished building a community kitchen where ten gas stoves have been installed. A laundry for the use of tourists is also being built and shower baths are about to be started very soon. Already six tent houses have been completed and the proprietors promise that twenty-four more will be on the way within the next few days.

Monday forenoon a party of tourists in a Ford automobile went into the ditch at "death curve" (Fifth and Anne streets). Fortunately, none of the occupants of the car were hurt, but the axles were both sprung and the car was towed to Sacramento for repairs. Something must be done to save human life at this corner or the state highway commission will be sued for damages.

Mrs. Mary Hanson has been in San Francisco and other bay cities during the past week. This is her annual trip to the seacoast from which she reaps so much benefit and which she so thoroughly enjoys. Mrs. Hanson is one of the oldest settlers in the town and has been constantly a resident of the community for more than fifty years.

Pear picking has been going on in the Reed orchard for the past two days. For a start only a few hands are employed but as the fruit ripens a great many more hands will be required. Most of this fruit is going to the canneries in Sacramento for canning.

Dan Burnell and wife, with his brother John and his wife, spent nearly two weeks at the Sanchez home in Bryte winding up their stay a week ago last Thursday. All these visitors were from bay points and were shown around to see the sights of Sacramento by Mrs. Sanchez. This being their first trip to Sacramento, they were highly entertained and greatly surprised to see this section of the county so thoroughly settled.

Tony Borzone, who has been making his home in Oakland during the past two years, was a visitor in Washington last Saturday and Sunday on his way from Lake Tahoe to Oakland. Tony renewed many old acquaintances and spent considerable time with the boys around town.

After spending a few weeks' pleasure trip to Seattle, Wash., Miss Bernice Butters and Miss Georgia Mathena returned.

A party composed of the following Washington residents left early Monday for Pacific Grove to spend several days on a pleasure trip: Thomas Williams and family; John Patterson and family; Fred Harms and family, and Mrs. Carrie Harms.

Robert Wood returned to his Woodland home after spending last Saturday here.

Mrs. A. A. Dassonville is entertaining at her home since last Monday Mr. and Mrs. C. Wagner and family of Chico.

Miss Bertha Grabo has left for her home in Buffalo, N. Y., after spending a few weeks in Washington as the guest of her father, John Grabo.

Mrs. Sarah Garber is making an extended visit in Oakland as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Bud Weise.

Miss Audrey Richeson is spending a few days visiting with friends and relatives in Truckee.

After a several days' visit with friends and relatives in San Francisco, Mrs. H. M. Eugene has returned.

Mrs. H. Torich has returned to her San Francisco home after a few days' visit in Washington as the guest of Mrs. Paul Dupzyk.

The Misses Helen Dassonville and Margaret Moser, who have been visiting for a few days at Asilomar, returned home Saturday.

$20,000 LOSS IN FIERCE FIRE AT SHIPBUILDING YARDS OF THE SACRAMENTO TRANSPORTATION CO.

At 5 p. m. yesterday afternoon, Thursday, July 17, a fierce fire started in the blacksmith shop of the shipbuilding yards of the Sacramento Transportation Company in Washington and before extinguished made a complete cleanup of the plant.

The buildings on the property occupied a space measuring 80x160 feet but were old and had been in use constantly for nearly thirty years. Under the dry conditions prevailing, those buildings were as tinder when once the fire got a start and there was no possibility of handling the conflagration even by a force of men equal to that of Sacramento.

As it was, the volunteer fire department of Washington performed wonders in preventing the spread of the flames to other business blocks and homes in the immediate neighborhood and as a matter of fact, there were four other buildings on fire at the time the shipyards were in flames but the local boys succeeded in extinguishing them.

Once the flames got started from the blacksmith shop there was no saving the plant. It would have been useless for the volunteer department of Washington to waste its time with a double line of hose in trying to extinguish the flames. Consequently their efforts were devoted in saving other properties in the neighborhood.

Fortunately for the shipbuilding corporation, great piles of selected lumber were saved. These were made up of select timbers that are used in building keels of river boats and barges. This lumber is absolutely clear and most of it measures ninety feet in length.

Only one pile of this select lumber was destroyed, while four great piles were saved.

W. P. Dwyer, president of the corporation, told the Independent that these lumber piles were insured 100%, owing mostly to the difficulty experienced in securing such lumber for shipbuilding.

The machine shop, the wood-bending plant, the motor shop, and the blacksmith shop were entirely consumed.

An oil house built of sheet iron and as nearly fireproof as possible was covered by the flames from the blacksmith shop soon after the start of the fire. In this oil house were stored many cans of lubricating oil, some cans of gasoline, coal oil, and other explosives, and as the house became heated the receptacles exploded, scattering their contents over other inflammable matter in the yards.

In less than ten minutes from the start of the fire the entire plant was a seething mass of flames and it was at this time that a chemical engine and a fire pumping engine arrived from Sacramento.

Immediately these fire fighters were placed to work but only succeeded in saving the material that was placed outside the yard on the levee and as far away from the shops as possible.

Fortunately, there were no boats or bargers on the "ways" although several river steamers were anchored in the stream less than 250 feet from the flames. None of these were injured in the fire.

A power line extending to the shops and carrying a transformer right close to the plant on top of a pole became a menace for some time until word was telephoned to the power station to cut off the juice. Soon after the supply of juice was cut out the transformer became too heavy for the burning pole and dropped to the ground beneath. In its fall nothing was injured.

The work of the volunteer fire department boys of Washington was highly commented on by Assistant Fire Chief Pat Hayes of Sacramento. He said they had done wonders with the apparatus at their command and they saved many homes, although a stiff wind from the south blew great blocks of cinders on the roofs of surrounding property.

The yards of the transportation company has been under supervision of Cas Amacker for several years past. This is the first fire of any consequence that has happened to the plant and the fire yesterday is believed to have originated in sparks blown from the forges in the blacksmith shop by a stiff southerly wind.

The loss sustained by the transportation company could not be estimated yesterday by the president, W. P. Dwyer, but he said it would be close to $20,000 even though the selected lumber mentioned above was mostly saved.

Terrence Mulligan of the Sacramento fire fighting force handled his men to great advantage during the conflagration and handled the local boys in such fine shape that the fire was confined to the yards without difficulty.

The apparatus sent from Sacramento consisted of two chemical engines and one fire engine with eleven men.

After the fire was gotten under control Mulligan advised the volunteer firemen to procure as soon as possible about six hundred feet of 1½-inch hose to be used in connection with the 3-inch hose they now have. This hose would be lighter and more easily handled by the volunteer fire boys of Washington and more effective work would be done with this smaller hose.

It must be said that the water supply in the mains of Washington yesterday during the fire was anything but what it should be.

While protecting the old Washington Hotel building from the flames, the boys on the roof of the building could not throw a stream of water farther than five feet although the building is only two stories in height.

Of course, it must be remembered that the fire at the Richeson home which had just been extinguished a few minutes before had depleted the supply of water in the storage tank to a great extent.

Many people, however, were of the impression that since the storage tank was empty the pumping machinery could deliver into the water mains of the town direct, but of this the Independent was advised there is no possibility now.

The shipbuilding yard has been a great asset to Washington for many years. At all times there have been at least a dozen men at work getting steady employment there, but it often happened that between twenty and thirty men were regularly employed for many months of the year.

Mr. Dwyer advised the Independent that the plant would be rebuilt immediately with more and better facilities for building and repairing river steamers and river barges.

NOMINATION PAPERS ARE FILED BY BUCKINGHAM, BEARDSLEE, FOURNESS

Three candidates from the first supervisor district of Yolo County, namely: H. B. Buckingham, W. E. M. Beardslee and Eli Fourness, have filed their nomination papers with County Clerk Harry Saunders in Woodland and the fight is on.

Beardslee is incumbent in the office since the death of William J. Leinberger, having received the appointment at the hands of Governor Richardson.

Beardslee is a real dirt farmer of the district, principally engaged in growing hops and stands well in the community. He is of a retiring disposition, seldom mixing with the rank and file of the people but acknowledged to be a capable man and a man of influence.

H. B. Bckingham has been constable for over six years. He, too, is somewhat of a farmer but has been engaged in road building, contracting and teaming work. Buckingham was born and raised in the community, attending the local schools and is generally popular with the people, knowing each man and woman by his or her first name and easy of approach at all

RICHESON HOME BURNED WITH LOSS OF ABOUT $2,000.00

At 4:30 p. m. yesterday the Richeson home on Second street, between Anne and Harriet streets, was badly burned when a fire was started on the outside of the building from some unknown cause.

Neighbors across the street discovered the flames centering around the gas meter which had been placed underneath the front porch and outside the building.

Immediately the alarm was turned in and the volunteer firemen of the town who were mostly returning from their work in the Southern Pacific shops in Sacramento attacked the flames with great good will and good judgment.

Unfortunately, the flames had made too much headway before the fire fighting apparatus arrived, with the result that the entire front portion of the building was ruined and all the contents were either destroyed or made past redemption by fire and water.

Mrs. Richeson did everything that she possibly could to help the fire fighters and every neighbor in the community lent a hand wherever a hand was necessary.

The south side of the building was hopelessly ruined even to the plaster of all the rooms. Doors and windows were broken and mashed in the effort to get at the flames.

The estimated loss sustained by the fire is about $2,000, with no insurance on the contents of the home and only $1,000 insurance on the building.

During the fire at the Richeson home the water force from the storage tank was fairly good, but again it would appear that direct pumping into the water mains from the pumps would be more effective.

ELECTION JULY 26TH TO DETERMINE REFUNDING OF BONDS

All land owners in the West Sacramento district will participate in the election to be held on July 26 and preparations are now being made to hold the polls at headquarters.

The purpose of this election is to give the people, the land owners, an opportunity to decide whether they will continue to pay off the old bonds which fall due on January 1, 1925, January 1, 1926, and January 1, 1927, or whether they want the payment of these bonds postponed until after 1941 when all the other indebtedness of the district for reclamation purposes will be paid off.

The old bonded indebtedness amounts to $171,000 payable in three installments of $57,000 each and falling due on the dates above mentioned, 1925, 1926 and 1927.

Many land holders favor postponing it, especially because this year conditions are not favorable to pay off bonds, because crops are not of the best and returns are not so large from farming operations.

However, it will be up to the people to decide whether the bonds will be paid as per original schedule or postponed until 1941, 1942 and 1943.

VIRDEN FRUIT PLANT TO OPEN TOMORROW

Marysville, July 12.—The local plant of the Virden Canning Company will open on Monday and will employ 400 persons in the packing of cling peaches. The weekly payroll will average about $13,000. Tuscan clings will be the first peaches on hand. Pickers are now in the orchards gathering fruit for the opening of the run.

CLAIMS ALLOWED BY YOLO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

At the meeting of the board of supervisors of Yolo County held in Woodland, July 7, the following claims were allowed:

E. L. Blackington, roadwork	$208.00
D. F. Fenocchio, roadwork	52.00
M. J. Herrington, labor	24.50
John Kroninger, payroll	43.20
H. Leinberger, Jr., roadwork	15.75
J. O. Newman, roadwork	29.25
P. G. & E. Co., street lights	93.50
O. E. Van Tassel, roadwork	38.00
West Valley Lbr. Co., cement	4.00
Washington Water Light Co. water	90.00

6% Loans Under Reserve System on city or farm property. Reserve Deposit Company, 72 Fourth Street, Portland, Ore.

PIANO BARGAIN

We have in the vicinity of Washington a piano and a player piano, each partly paid for. Rather than to box and ship these pianos clear to San Francisco, we will sell either cheap for cash or on desirable terms. Write to Wholesale Department, Kohler & Chase, 26 O'Farrell St., San Francisco.

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Ford Truck	$175.00	Ford Roadster	$ 85.00
Ford Touring	$100.00	Ford Roadster	$ 75.00
Ford Touring	$ 50.00	Ford Delivery	$165.00
Ford Speedster	$150.00	Maxwell Touring	$ 50.00
Ford Delivery	$205.00	Grant Six	$250.00

Fred Moeller, Mgr.

ADE'S BATTLE YARD

CAMP IN THE OPEN

OPINION

News-Ledger Editorial:

Better scores = better schools?

If you looked at the school district's API scores (see last week's News-Ledger) and then you looked at a map, you saw a predictable trend. Scores for the elementary schools basically improved as you went south, ending with an "800" score at Southport Elementary School and "804" (the district's best) in far-southern Bridgeway Island.

The trend generally followed the community's socioeconomics. It "followed the money."

Still to come is the state's analysis that compares each school's performance specifically with other schools that have similar socioeconomics. That is a much better indication of how "good" a job a school is doing. The analysis is due this fall.

It would be shocking if the far-south schools did not score better than, for example, Bryte Elementary (715) or Elkhorn (690) in the city's north. The kids at the Southport schools generally come from families that are wealthier and often better able to give support to a child's education.

Overall, the test scores – for whatever they're worth – were fairly flat for the district compared to last year. They showed a 13-point overall increase, with about half of WUSD's schools improving and about half showing some slippage from the previous year.

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One welcome change at Washington Unified has been the addition of a new bean counter.

It has historically been very hard to find someone in the district who actually "knows where the money is." Myles Billheimer, new assistant superintendent for business services, does seem to know where it is. He can usually tell you how much cash is in which pot, and why.

Since a district can never be effective unless its top staff, the school board and the public all have a decent picture of its finances, this is no small matter.

Billheimer is a welcome addition to WUSD management. Superintendent Steve Lawrence deserves credit for hiring him.

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Last week in this space, the News-Ledger talked about how frequently it is that community sports leagues and booster clubs are victimized by embezzlement by volunteers.

A member of the local River City High School Athletic Boosters has noted that her organization had been around for 30 years without such a problem. The group keeps tight books, she said, and the public is welcome to take a look at them.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Keeping public in the dark

After attending the School Board meeting this past Thursday, once again I feel compelled to write an educational update for the community's benefit.

I don't understand how most of the Board and Administration can continue to ignore the big issues our District faces, especially when it comes to finances. I find it very frustrating when the District refuses to follow the law by providing the information I ask for in my public records request. Any community member has the right to public records (which is to be carried out within 10 days), unless they pertain to personnel or other information that is considered confidential. I am truly sick and tired of the old comment that "Legal Counsel has informed us- - - -" (which reads to me as "Blah, Blah, Blah," like Charlie Browns teacher) regarding any of my requests.

In my recent request, one thing I asked for, the fourth time, was a copy of the tool used to evaluate the Superintendent. Board policy requires a written document to be used to evaluate the Superintendent to be approved in Open Session by the school board.

At a board meeting, in closed session, they come to a consensus at which time they gather and rate the Superintendent's performance. Once that has been done they meet with the Superintendent at a meeting and go over his performance and their expectations for the upcoming year . This procedure is spelled out very clearly in the Boards own policy.

After speaking to an educational law lawyer I realize I have no right to see the actual final evaluation itself, but I do have the right to a copy of the "tool" used to evaluate him. Only the completed evaluation becomes part of his personnel file and that is confidential, not the "tool" used for the evaluation.

What becomes so discouraging and frustrating is that the Board and Administration continues to keep the public in the dark by not honoring public records requests. The fact that the District is wasting public funds to ask its legal counsel if I can have copies of these documents implies that they are hiding District business from the public. I continually hear [board member Matthew] Stegman imply that "the word of the attorney is the final word" but let me remind him that every courtroom has two attorney's and one comes out a winner and one a loser. Let's just be honest and quit playing this "cat and mouse" game. If we all work together we can make things better for every child in this community and not just the choice few.

DANI LANGFORD
West Sacramento

Dirty tricks

Since Mayor Cabaldon came into office he's famous for using nothing but dirty tricks and politics to intimidate or eliminate differing community viewpoints on how West Sacramento should grow, while lining his campaign coffers.

When Mary Lasell ran for mayor against him in 2006, Cabaldon accused her of being the pet of developers, despite the fact that Cabaldon himself had taken over $150,000 from them in a single election cycle, more than other candidate in all city council and school board elections combined in the history of the city! He added City Council candidate Mark Johannessen to that accusation who wasn't even running against him and who was not supported by the developers. He also trashed Lois Wolk in his first attempt at the 8th Assembly District seat. In his second failed bid to run for the 8th Assembly District he accused his opponent, Mariko Yamada a social worker and member of the Yolo County Board of Supervisors, of causing the Housing Crisis, an issue with its roots at the national level.

Mayor Cabaldon promised that he'd make West Sacramento a model "green" city, a national leader in air and water control, and sound urban design, then he rushed through city council over 5000 homes, none of which were required to conform to "green building" standards. The developers of these homes also left the city with a multimillion dollar tab for current and future residents to pay for infrastructure like parks, roads, transit and flood control improvements! The only sound urban design Cabaldon can boast of was attempting to foist an expensive light rail project on the backs of taxpayers and residents of West Sacramento! You will be voting on that light rail tax increase in November.

I'm sure as we near the November election more ridiculous lies, empty promises, and pointless babbling will emerge from the Cabaldon camp. But this time instead of Lois Wolk and Mariko Yamada being the target, it will be Mark Johannessen who had the courage to run against him as Mayor. Get

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TSG No.: 3768423 TS No.: 20089017101978 FHA/VA/PMI No.: Notice Of Trustee's Sale YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 9/1/2006 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 10/7/2008 at 12:45 PM First American Loanstar Trustee Services, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 09/13/2006, as Instrument No. 2006-0035910-00, in book , page , of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California. Executed by: Juan Torres, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA All right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: As more fully described in the above mentioned Deed of Trust APN# 014-245-09-1 The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 901 Beardsley Dr , West Sacramento, CA 95605 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $222,190.50 The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. Date: 9/17/2008 First American Title Insurance Company First American LoanStar Trustee Services 3 First American Way Santa Ana, CA 92707 First American Loanstar Trustee Services may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. Original document signed by Authorized Agent For Trustee's Sale Information Please Call (714) 573-1965 P463255 9/17, 9/24, 10/01/2008

Loan: 647189522 Investor No: 724036542 Other: 3763613 TS#: 08-75961 A.P.N. 046-391-10-1 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE UNDER DEED OF TRUST YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 10/28/2004, UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. Notice is hereby given that the real property for which the address is purported to be: 1600 Orinda Pl West Sacramento, CA 95691 Assessor's Parcel Number: 046-391-10-1 will be sold at public auction at At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA on 10/8/2008, at 12:45PM to the highest bidder, payable at the time of sale, for cash or cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in California. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness evidenced by said Deed, executed by Ricardo Cabrera and Irma Cabrera, husband and wife as trustor, recorded on 11/05/2004 as Instrument No. 2004-0050908-00, in Book No. , page and of the Official records of Yolo County, California. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonably estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $272,611.87. In the event tender other than cash is accepted the Trustee may withhold the issuance of Trustee's Deed until funds become available to the payee or endorse as a matter of right. Dated: 09/12/2008 Five Star Service Corporation, as said Trustee C/o its agent Pite Duncan, LLP 525 East Main Street El Cajon, CA 92022-2289 For Sales Information Call: (714) 573-1965 By: Julissa Grossmann Declaration of Due Diligence CA Civil Code Section 2923.5 (c) I, the undersigned, am an officer of CitiMortgage, Inc., servicing agent for the beneficiary of a Deed of Trust encumbering real property located at 1600 Orinda Place West Sacramento, CA 95691 executed by Ricardo Cabrera & Irma Cabrera as grantor/mortgagor(s) and borrower(s), and I declare as follows in support of the filing of the Notice of Sale: 1. A Notice of Default pursuant to California Civil Code Section 2924 was filed prior to September 6, 2008 and a Notice of Rescission of said Notice of Default has not been filed 2. Pursuant to California Civil Code Section 2923.5(c), as a prerequisite to the filing of a Notice of Sale under California Civil Code Section 2924(f): X CitiMortgage, Inc. has contacted the borrower to assess the borrower's financial situation and to explore options for the borrower to avoid foreclosure. CitiMortgage, Inc. has attempted without success to contact the borrower as follows: The borrower has surrendered the property as evidenced by either a letter confirming the surrender or delivery of the keys to the property. The Borrower has contracted with an organization, person, or entity whose primary business is advising people who have decided to leave their homes on how to extend the foreclosure process and avoid their contractual obligations to mortgagees or beneficiaries. The borrower has filed for bankruptcy, and the proceedings have not been finalized. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on 9/10/08 at O'Fallon, MO. By: Brandon D. Lewis Name: Brandon D. Lewis Title: Operations Assistant 2 P468049 9/17, 9/24, 10/01/2008

TSG No.: 3770726 TS No.: 20089017102063 FHA/VA/PMI No.: Notice Of Trustee's Sale YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 1/24/2006 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 10/7/2008 at 12:45 PM First American Loanstar Trustee Services, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 01/27/2006, as Instrument No. 2006-0003640-00, in book , page , of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California. Executed by: Nicola Gliatto, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA All right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: As more fully described in the above mentioned Deed of Trust APN# 046-619-10-1 The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 2465 Fontana St, Unit 6 , West Sacramento, CA 95691 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $243,877.15 The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. Date: 9/17/2008 First American Title Insurance Company First American LoanStar Trustee Services 3 First American Way Santa Ana, CA 92707 First American Loanstar Trustee Services may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. Original document signed by Authorized Agent For Trustee's Sale Information Please Call (714) 573-1965 P463040 9/17, 9/24, 10/01/2008

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When the world wearies and society fails to satisfy, there is always the garden.

—Minnie Aumonier

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER PT08-2002

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS

Petitioner Mishelina Gonzalez filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

Present name: Rosalinda Marislea Gonzalez Montalvo. Proposed name: Rosalinda Marisela Gonzalez.

THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

NOTICE OF HEARING

Date: Oct. 6, 2008, at 9:00 a.m. in Dept. 1, Superior Court of California, County of Yolo, 725 Court St., Woodland CA 95695.

A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: News-Ledger.

Date: Aug. 11, 2008
JANET GAARD
Judge of the Superior Court
Aug 27 Sep 3 10 17

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Aug 25, 2008
File No. 2008-851

The following person is doing business as Plumbingdane, Inc., D3A Pinnacle Plumbing, 419 McKinley Way, West Sacramento CA 95691:

Plumbingdane, Inc., same address.

This business is conducted by a Corporation.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Aug 22.

/s/Christian Dragheim, President

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.

State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Aug 25, 2008
by: /s/Linda Smith, Deputy Clerk
Aug 27 Sep 3 10 17

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Aug 12, 2008
File No. 2008-800

The following person is doing business as 1-800-I-GOT JUNK, 2789 Del Monte St., West Sacramento CA 95691:

About Face Opportunities LLC, same address.

This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on .

/s/John McNamara, Vice President
About Face Opportunities, LLC

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State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Aug 12, 2008
by: /s/Kimberli Johnson, Deputy Clerk
Aug 27 Sep 3 10 17

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Aug 7, 2008
File No. 2008-785

The following person is doing business as Ideal Supplies, 555 Guava Lane Apt 4G, Davis CA 95616:

Seewan Chiu, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.

/s/Seewan Chiu

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State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
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by: /s/Ava Woodard, Deputy Clerk
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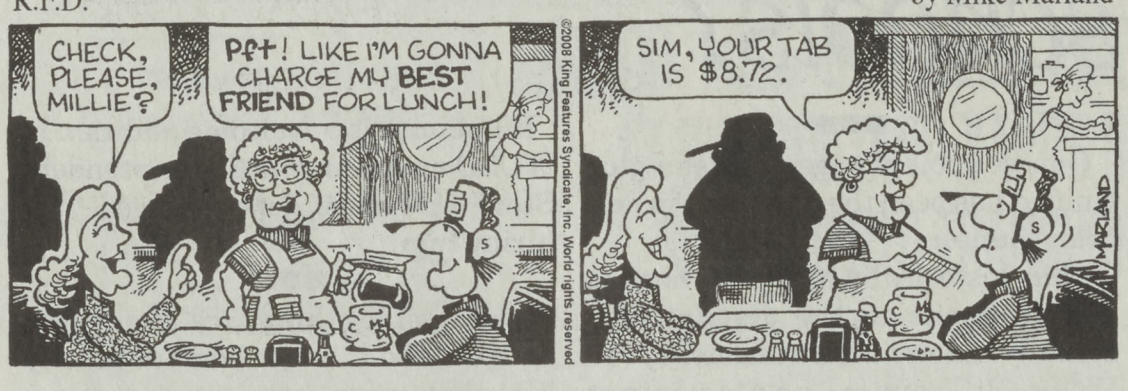
PUZZLES & COMICS

R.F.D. by Mike Marland


CHECK, PLEASE, MILLIE?
PFT! LIKE I'M GONNA CHARGE MY BEST FRIEND FOR LUNCH!
SIM, YOUR TAB IS $8.72.
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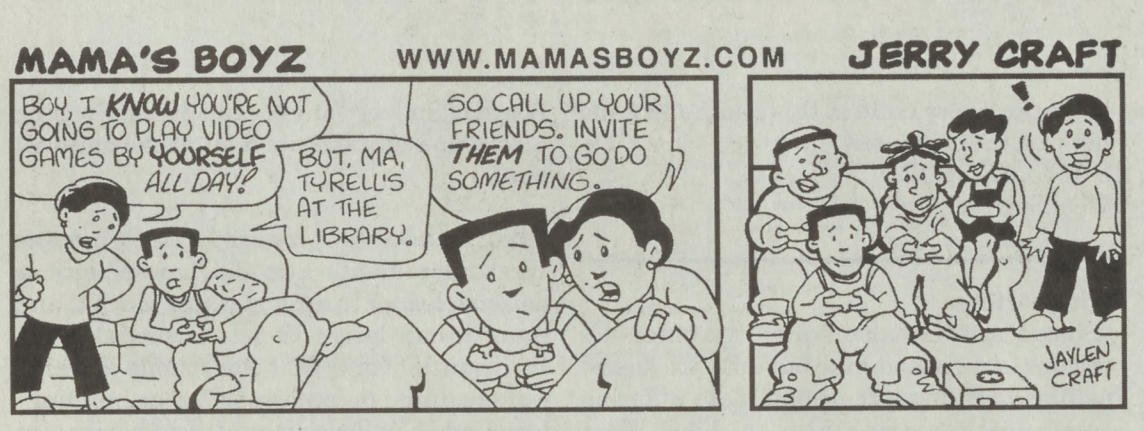
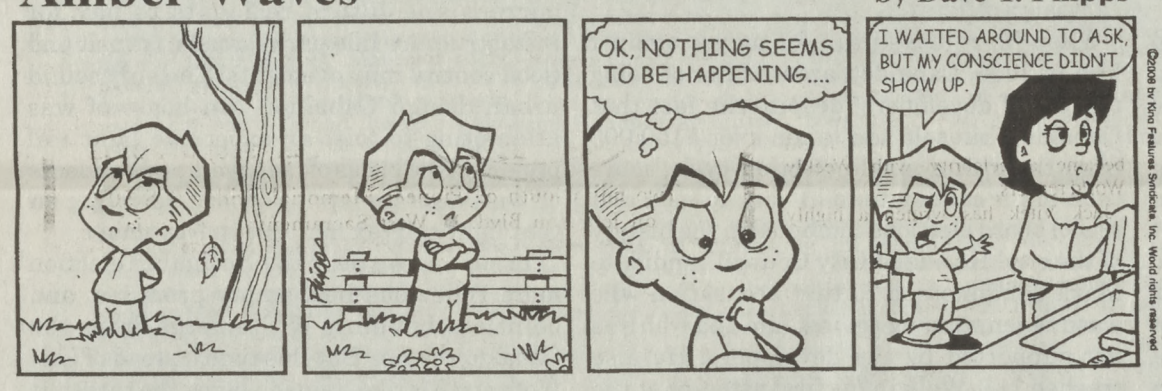
MARLAND

The Spats by Jeff Pickering

MAMA'S BOYZ WWW.MAMASBOYZ.COM JERRY CRAFT


BOY, I KNOW YOU'RE NOT GOING TO PLAY VIDEO GAMES BY YOURSELF ALL DAY!
BUT, MA, TYRELL'S AT THE LIBRARY.
SO CALL UP YOUR FRIENDS. INVITE THEM TO GO DO SOMETHING.
JAYLEN CRAFT

Amber Waves by Dave T. Phipps


OK, NOTHING SEEMS TO BE HAPPENING....
I WAITED AROUND TO ASK, BUT MY CONSCIENCE DIDN'T SHOW UP.
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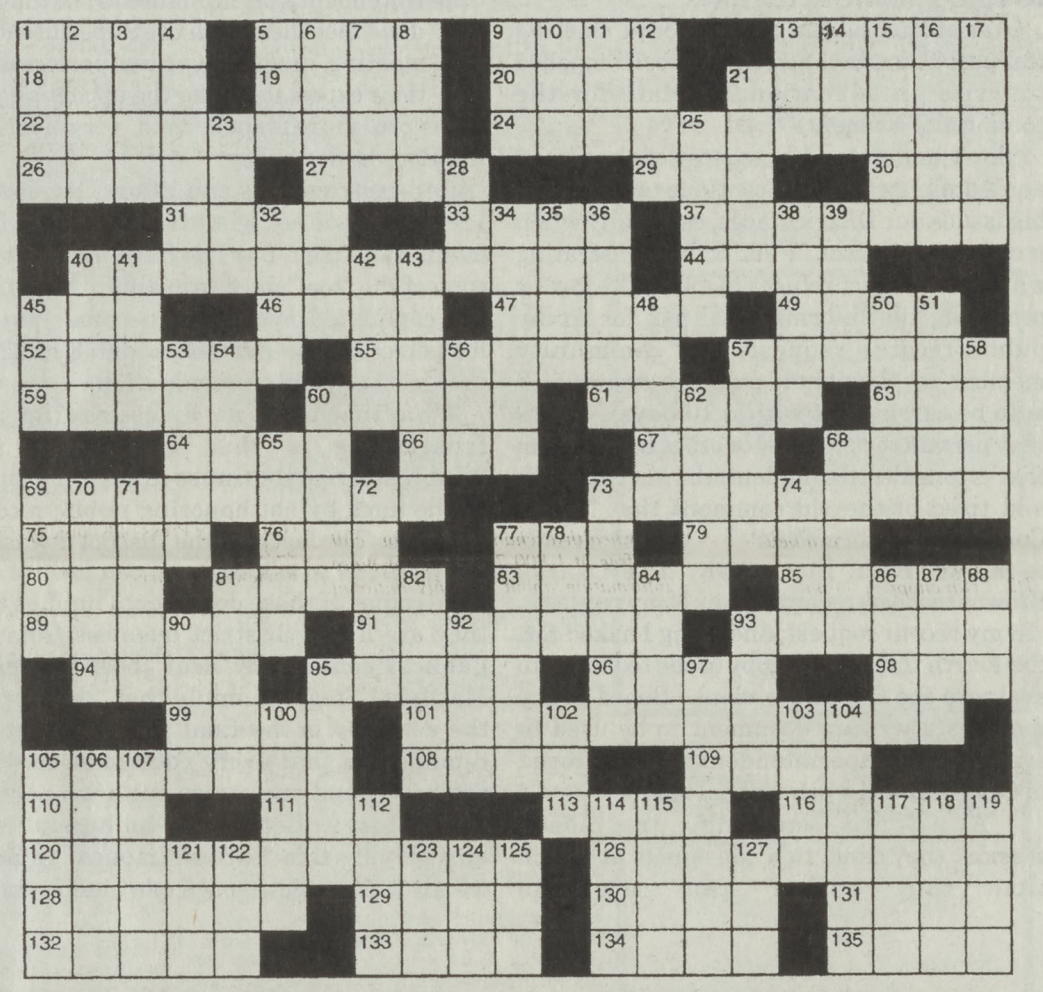
POPEYE
HEY, ESMAN!
DOESN'T ANYTHING FRIGHTEN YOU, POPEYE?
METEORIKES... BUT THA'S ABOUT ALL!
METEORITES!
WHY ARE METEORITES THE ONLY THING THAT FRIGHTENS YOU?
CUZ YA NEVER KNOW WHEN ONE IS GONNA FALL OUTA ORBIK!
IT KIN BE A SUNNY DAY LIKE T'DAY...
...AN' YER WALKIN' ALONG MINDIN' YER BIZNESS...
...AN' ALL OF A SUDDEN WITH NO WARNIN'...
...OUTA THE BLUE...
BAM
YIKES!
SORRY ABOUT THAT, GENTS... IT WAS AN ACCIDENT!
SEE WOT I MEAN?

Super Crossword

STRICTLY SPEAKING

ACROSS
1 Summer stinger
5 Sailor's quaff
9 In the sack
13 Master, in Madras
18 "Dies —"
19 Melodious McEntire
20 —— Valley, CA
21 Walked confidently
22 Tenured?
24 Ex-wife, sometimes?
26 Roman official
27 Umps
29 Bus. bigwig
30 Plant part
31 Writer Blyton
33 Tabula —
37 At full tilt
40 Violin bows?
44 Evils
45 Terry-cloth inscription
46 Cookbook author Rombauer
47 Deed
49 Wraps up
52 Incompetent
55 Neighbor of Latvia
57 TV's "The — Game"
59 Melodramatic
60 Progress
61 Chaka Khan's group
63 Pigeon English?
64 To boot
66 Spud bud
67 Bulldog, for one
68 "Blame — Rio" ('84 film)
69 Capone impersonator?
73 Hire a private eye?
75 Landed
76 Palm Sunday animal
77 Humbug lead-in
79 Act like an antelope
80 Oxford figure
81 Vote in
83 "Watership Down" author
85 Defy a dictator
89 Salad veggie
91 Geronimo's birthplace
93 Draw
94 Donated
95 Swedish currency
96 Mardi —
98 It may be white
99 Signor Ferrari
101 Stockbrokers?
105 Petite pet
108 Blood components
109 Kid at court
110 Former govt. agcy.
111 Carpenter —
113 Wine valley
116 Exit
120 FDA-approved snack?
126 "Equus," for instance?
128 Inventor Otis
129 Dingy digs
130 Pat on the buns?
131 Kuwaiti ruler
132 Blackboard
133 Type of chalcedony
134 Holler
135 Odense denizen

DOWN
1 Man's altar ego?
2 Like the Kalahari
3 Agra attire
4 Prepared a pineapple
5 Whippet's warning
6 Keep the shelves stocked
7 Crumhorn cousin
8 Sail support
9 Furniture wood
10 Jacket info
11 Big bird
12 — brakes
13 Canonized Mlle.
14 "— you for real?"
15 Was an optimist
16 Unimprovable
17 Juicy fruit
21 Toast word
23 Await judgment
25 Macabre
28 — Lanka
32 Tennis pro Nastase
34 Moss Hart's autobiography
35 "— Game" ('71 film)
36 Up and about
38 Requests
39 Ain't right?
40 Spanish sherry
41 Author Dinesen
42 "Peter Pan" pirate
43 Tried a mouthful
45 "What?"
48 Crack up
50 Proclamations
51 A nose that shows
53 Coat-of-arms figure
54 Lovett or Waggoner
56 Italian greyhound, e.g.
57 Ignoramus
58 Used up
60 Gaggle gal
62 Wood and gas
65 Sedimentary stuff
68 Force
69 Lose luster
70 "— Comes Mary" ('66 song)
71 Dano or Darnell
72 Messy Madison
73 Nickels and dimes
74 Designer Lagerfeld
77 Church sale
78 Bustle
81 Happening
82 Latin class no-nos
84 Scratches the surface
86 Zodiac animal
87 Buffalo waterfront
88 Actor Horsley
90 Currier's partner
92 Memo start
93 On a whale watch, perhaps
95 Asian nation
97 Clothes
100 African equine
102 Quayle or Blocker
103 Eye appreciatively
104 Acted like a chick
105 Garden supplies
106 In the slightest degree
107 "GoodFellas" group
112 Return address?
114 "Hi, sailor!"
115 Battery part
117 — mater
118 Self-smitten
119 Thornfield governess
121 Cornerstone abbr.
122 "Evita" character
123 "— -Tiki"
124 TV Tarzan
125 King's handle?
127 Costa del —



Answers to puzzles are on Page 4

GO FIGURE! by Linda Thistle

The idea of Go Figure is to arrive at the figures given at the bottom and right-hand columns of the diagram by following the arithmetic signs in the order they are given (that is, from left to right and top to bottom). Use only the numbers below the diagram to complete its blank squares and use each of the nine numbers only once.

DIFFICULTY: ★

★ Moderate ★★ Difficult
★★★ GO FIGURE!

	–		x		16
x		+		÷	
	x		+		20
–		x		x	
	x		+		27
23		15		28	

1 2 2 3 4 5 7 8 9

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

3			9		2		5	
	1			7				4
		4	6			2		
		1		9			7	
5			8					2
2	6				1	3		
6					4			5
	9		7					8
		8		3		6	4	

Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★

★ Moderate ★★ Challenging
★★★ HOO BOY!

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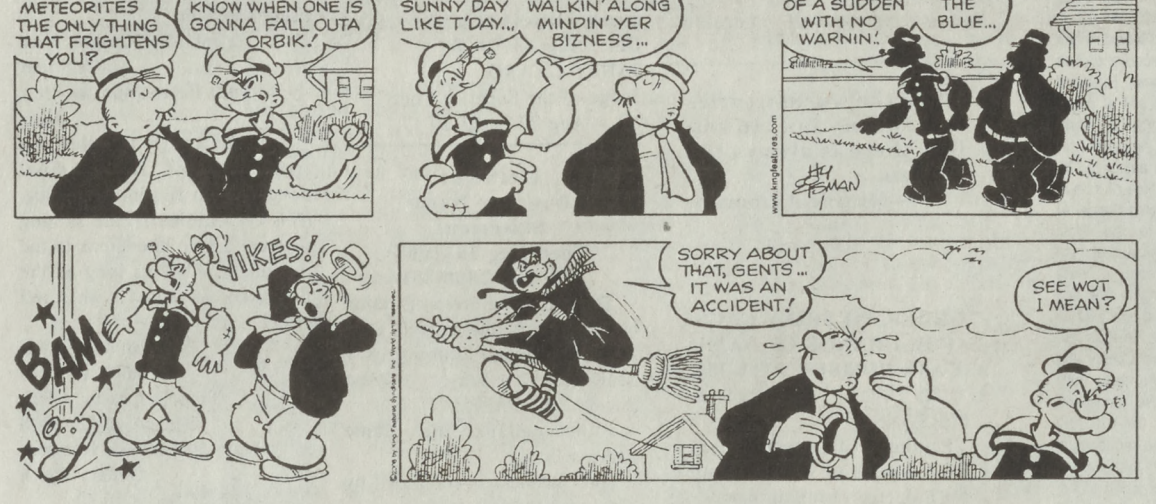
NICE OF GARAKAHN'S MEN TO LEAVE BEHIND HIS PERSONAL TRANSPORT.
SURE BEATS WALKING.
FLASH GORDON
FLASH MAKES HIS WAY OVER A SNOW SWEPT FOREST REGION ON THE PLANET MONGO.
SENSORS PICKING UP A LIFEFORM.
BETTER CHECK IT OUT.
JIM KEEFE
HELP ME... PLEASE!
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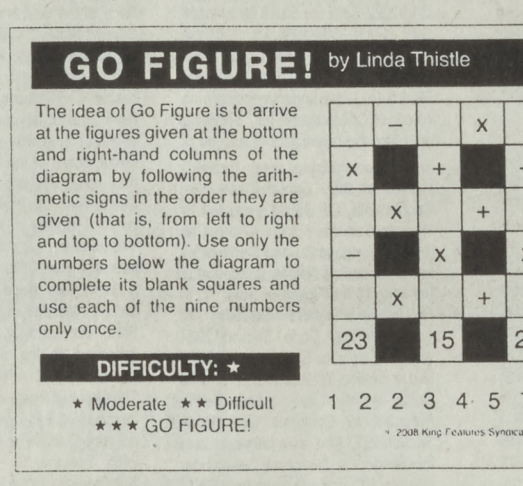
WHAT HAPPENED? ARE YOU HURT? DEAD... THEY'RE ALL DEAD.
WHO'S DEAD? WE HAVE TO GET OUT OF HERE!
WHAT HAPPENED? WHO'S DEAD? DON'T YOU UNDERSTAND?! WE HAVE TO LEAVE... NOW! IT'LL BE DARK SOON...
...THEY ALWAYS COME AT NIGHT!
NEXT: SURVIVOR'S TALE!

HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.

MAGIC MAZE ● OUTER BANKS

W V S Q N K K W A H Y T T I K
D A E H S G A N A I F D A X S
V T A Q O I M O N J H F C A I
Y K I L L D E V I L H I L L S
W U R P L T N K L B N L J O A
H F D B N O V A O Z X V V T R
R Q O A T M R D R C K L I H E
F D M X B Z I Q A Y A W V T T
K C U D R E O O C S I R F O T
N B L S I E K O N A O R C K A
I H F S E V A W D C A Z X O H

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

Avon
Bodie Is.
Buxton
Corolla
Duck
Frisco
Hatteras Is.
Kill Devil Hills
Manteo
N. Carolina
Nags Head
Ocracoke Is.
Roanoke Is.
Salvo
Waves

DINING, TRAVEL & ENTERTAINMENT

MISSING CASH from p. 1

dollar figure."

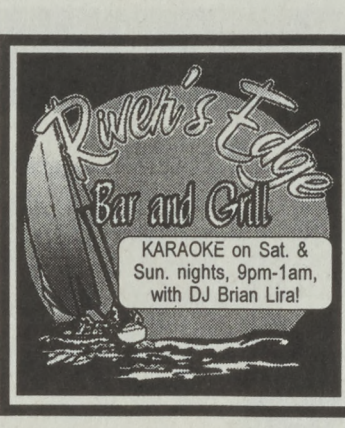
Rinetti said she recalled one playoff game staffed by the league president, his sister and the vice president "which should have grossed $4,000, and they only turned in $460."

Rinetti has been accused of embezzlement in a report filed by current league treasurer Sarah Castro.

Castro commented last week: "We've submitted all the appropriate documents to the authorities and at this point it's out of our hands."

Castro referred further questions to league president Andy Alvarez.

Alvarez did not respond to an emailed request for comment, or a request submitted to him through Castro.



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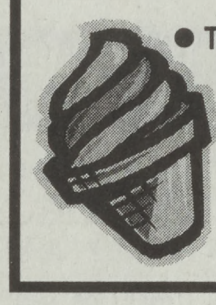
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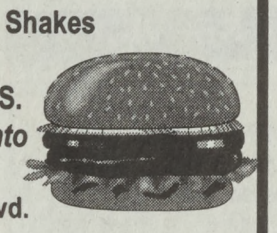

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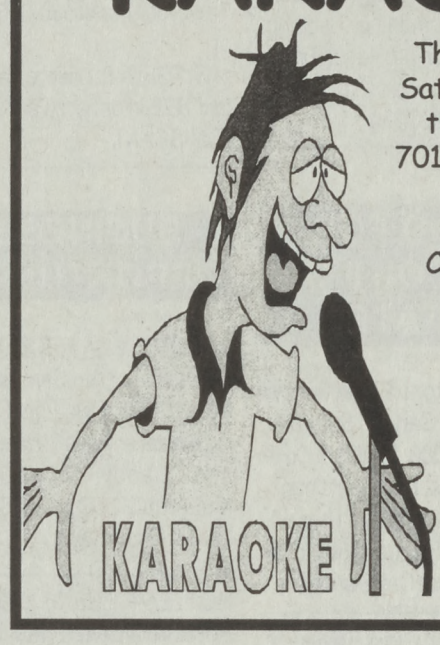

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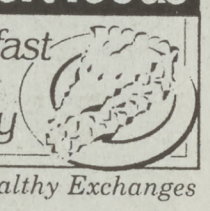

by Healthy Exchanges

Garden-Fresh Spanish Rice

September is National Rice Month. Whether you enjoy long-grain rice or one of the many wild rice blends, rice is a nice change of pace in your daily diet.

- *2 1/2 cups peeled and chopped tomatoes*
- *1/2 cup chopped green bell pepper*
- *1/2 cup chopped onion*
- *1 cup finely chopped cabbage*
- *1 tablespoon Brown Sugar Twin*
- *1/8 teaspoon black pepper*
- *2 tablespoons chopped fresh parsley or 2 teaspoons dried parsley flakes*
- *2 cups cooked rice*

In a large skillet sprayed with butter-flavored cooking spray, sauté tomatoes, green pepper, onion and cabbage for 10 minutes, stirring often. Stir in Brown Sugar Twin, black pepper and parsley. Add rice. Mix well to combine. Lower heat and simmer for 5 minutes, stirring occasionally. Makes 4 (3/4 cup) servings.

HINT: Usually 1 1/3 cups uncooked instant or 1 cup regular rice cooks to about 2 cups.

• Each serving equals: 124 calories, 0g fat, 3g protein, 28g carbs, 13mg sodium, 32mg calcium, 2g fiber; Diabetic Exchanges: 1 1/2 Starch, 1 Vegetable; Carb Choices: 2.

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Corned Beef Hash and Eggs

- *1 tablespoon margarine or butter*
- *1 large red pepper, chopped*
- *1 large onion, chopped*
- *4 cups (about half 32-ounce package) frozen hash brown potatoes (Southern style)*
- *8 ounces deli corned beef in 1 piece, cut into 1/2-inch chunks (about 2 cups)*
- *4 large eggs*
- *1/8 teaspoon salt*
- *1/8 teaspoon ground black pepper*

1. In nonstick 12-inch skillet, melt margarine over medium-high heat. Add red pepper and onion and cook 10 minutes or until vegetables are tender, stirring often. Stir in frozen hash browns and corned beef; cook 10 minutes or until hash browns are lightly browned. Spread hash evenly in skillet. Reduce heat to medium-low.

2. One at a time, break eggs into cup and slip into skillet on top of hash. Sprinkle eggs with salt and black pepper. Cover skillet and cook 5 to 8 minutes or until eggs are set or cooked to desired doneness.

• Each serving: About 450 calories, 20g total fat (6g saturated), 268mg cholesterol, 865mg sodium, 47g total carbohydrate, 5g dietary fiber, 22g protein.

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Books

Godfather of Tabloid: Generoso Pope Jr. and the Birth of the National Enquirer
by Jack Vitek
(University Press of Kentucky, $29.95)
Reviewed by Larry Cox

Anyone who has ever killed time standing in line at the grocery store is no doubt familiar with The National Enquirer. Although most Americans have read at least an issue or two of the tabloid, not many people know much about Generose Pope Jr., who founded the paper and edited it for 36 years until his death in 1988.

Pope was an eccentric chain-smoker who transformed the National Enquirer from a small regional weekly into a lurid nationwide powerhouse that helped spawn a new kind of national entertainment. He took ideas that had worked well for both the Pulitzer and Hearst organizations to create a new kind of paper that was a heady mix of truth and the outlandish. At its peak, more than 5 million copies were published each week at its plant in Florida.

When the National Enquirer began publishing in color, Pope founded The Weekly World News to make use of the company's idled black-and-white presses. The Weekly World News was even more outrageous than the Enquirer and was an instant success. Bat Boy — a strange cross between a bat and a boy — was created and became a celebrity with Weekly World readers.

Jack Vitek has written a highly entertaining biography of Pope, who may or may not have financed The National Enquirer with Mafia money, and who conducted most of his deals in backrooms and out of the public eye. According to Vitek, the National Enquirer endured when other publications folded because Pope had the good business sense to revamp the paper to meet the demands of his changing audience.

Grounded in interviews with Pope, his associates and his employees, "The Godfather of Tabloid" is the first comprehensive look at the life of this colorful character, a man who almost singlehandedly changed the world of publishing forever.

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Good Housekeeping

Frittata Lorraine

The classic ingredients of a quiche Lorraine — bacon and Gruyère cheese — without the crust make this skillet dish a favorite weeknight meal.

- *3 slices bacon*
- *2 medium (about 3/4 pound) all-purpose potatoes, peeled and coarsely shredded*
- *1 medium onion, chopped*
- *1/2 teaspoon salt*
- *4 large eggs*
- *4 large egg whites*
- *2 ounces Gruyère cheese, shredded (1/2 cup)*
- *1/4 teaspoon coarsely ground black pepper*

1. In nonstick 10-inch skillet with oven-safe handle (or cover handle with heavy-duty foil for baking in oven later), cook bacon over medium heat until browned. Transfer bacon to paper towels to drain; crumble bacon. Discard all but 1 tablespoon bacon drippings.

2. To skillet with drippings, add shredded potatoes, onion and 1/4 teaspoon salt, and cook until vegetables are tender and golden, about 15 minutes, stirring occasionally.

3. Meanwhile, preheat oven to 400 F. In medium bowl, with wire whisk or fork, beat eggs and egg whites with bacon, cheese, pepper, remaining 1/4 teaspoon salt and 1/3 cup water.

4. Stir egg mixture into potato mixture in skillet and cook over medium heat, covered, 5 minutes or until egg mixture begins to set around edge. Remove cover and place skillet in oven; bake 10 minutes or until frittata is set.

5. Cut frittata into wedges to serve. Serves 4.

• Each serving: 275 calories, 15g total fat (6g saturated), 17g total carbohydrate, 17g protein, 2g dietary fiber, 235mg cholesterol, 535mg sodium.

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Strange BUT TRUE

By Samantha Weaver

• You're more likely to have a heart attack on a particularly hot or a particularly cold day.

• Famed actor Gary Cooper was offered the role of Rhett Butler in the film adaptation of Margaret Mitchell's novel "Gone With the Wind," but he turned down the part. He said he believed the movie would be "the biggest flop in Hollywood history." The film went on to win 10 Academy Awards, including one for Best Actor, which was taken home by Clark Gable, who took the part that Cooper refused.

• It was Albert Einstein who made the following sage observation: "Not everything that counts can be counted, and not everything that can be counted counts."

• When you think of the Middle Eastern country of Dubai, what comes to mind? If you're like most people, it's probably a vision of sweeping desert dunes. You might be surprised to learn, then, that by the end of this year, the arid country will be home to two year-round snow-ski resorts. Indoor resorts, of course.

• Piracy — yes, piracy — is on the rise. A recent study shows that between 2000 and 2006, maritime attacks by pirates increased drastically, to an average of more than 350 per year.

• The modern dishwasher was invented way back in 1886. A woman named Josephine Cochrane came up with the idea because she was unhappy with the way her fine china was being chipped by the servants who were washing it.

• Those who study such things claim that of those who receive a greeting card unexpectedly, 90 percent immediately call the sender or send a card or letter in return.

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Fave Foods OF THE FAMOUS

by Steven Austin

Sasha Cohen

Sasha Cohen is the living definition of beauty, style and grace. She's an Olympic figure-skating medal winner and former U.S. champion who continues to thrill her fans worldwide as the headliner for the Smucker's Stars on Ice tour. Cohen was born in California, and when not training or on the ice, she's busy with acting, modeling and a variety of charitable causes. She's also been featured in many TV shows and major motion pictures, and even worked as a correspondent for Inside Edition covering the Oscars' red carpet events. And you've seen her stunning smile in the Got Milk ad campaigns. Cohen is a true foodie, always seeking a new culinary adventure. Her autobiography, "Fire On Ice," is published by Harper Collins. For more info: www.starsonice.com and www.sashacohen.com

You knew we had to ask: What's your favorite frozen treat?

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"I love them all. Especially the sundae toppings."

Of all the other Stars On Ice skaters, who can eat the most food at a sitting, and who is the funniest to have around the dinner table?

"It's definitely John Zimmerman. He's the biggest eater, but has an incredible body. Everyone is so much fun. We are so lucky to have such a great closely knit skating family."

The rink should really be made of:

"One day I'd like to see them try to make the ice out of frozen yogurt, so you could eat the ice chips."

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BAKED APPLES WITH GREEK YOGURT, HONEY AND CARAMELIZED WALNUTS

- *4 Fuji or Pink Lady apples*
- *1 tablespoon of sugar in the raw*
- *1 cup of plain Greek yogurt*
- *1 tablespoon honey*
- *2 tablespoons caramelized or toasted walnuts*

In a 375 F oven, place a baking dish with 4 apples drizzled with the sugar and fill the dish with a half cup of water. Bake for 55 minutes or until done. Cool slightly. Serve in individual plates with two spoons of Greek yogurt drizzled with honey and sprinkled with caramelized walnuts.

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American Pacific Mortgage Corporation, 3000 Lava Ridge Ct. #200, Roseville CA 95661.

This business is conducted by a Corporation.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 7/13/2006. Previous fictitious business name statement: 2008-02-13.

/s/Bill Lowman, President
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Aug 4, 2008
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The following person is doing business as Tom's House of Hydraulics; Tom's Hydraulic Supply, 2904 Duluth St., West Sacramento CA 95691:

Enochian Family Enterprises, Inc., a CA corp., 2904 Duluth St., West Sacramento CA 95691.

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by: /s/Liz Mahovlich, Deputy Clerk

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. 08-0060984 Title Order No. 3764635 APN No. 072-171-13-1 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 04/01/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. Notice is hereby given that RECONTRUST COMPANY, as duly appointed trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by JERMAINE C CLARKE AN UNMARRIED MAN, dated 04/01/2006 and recorded 04/14/2006, as Instrument No. 2006-0014922-00, in Book , Page of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of YOLO County, State of California, will sell on 10/01/2008 at 10:00 AM, At the North entrance to the City Hall, 1110 West Capital , West Sacramento at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash or check as described below, payable in full at time of sale, all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust, in the property situated in said County and State and as more fully described in the above referenced Deed of Trust. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 2533 HUCKLEBERRY CIRCLE, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95691. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The total amount of the unpaid balance with interest thereon of the obligation secured by the property to be sold plus reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $318,183.27. It is possible that at the time of sale the opening bid may be less than the total indebtedness due. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept cashier's checks drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. Said sale will be made, in an "AS IS" condition, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, advances thereunder, with interest as provided, and the unpaid principal of the Note secured by said Deed of Trust with interest thereon as provided in said Note, plus fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. DATED: September 07, 2008 RECONTRUST COMPANY 1757 TAPO CANYON ROAD, SVW-88 SIMI VALLEY, CA 93063 Phone/Sale Information: (800) 281-8219 By: T. Sevillano, Team Leader RECONTRUST COMPANY is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. FEI # 1006.35435 09/10, 09/17, 09/24/2008

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. 08-57132 Title Order No. 3757383 APN No. 058-114-12-1 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 12/20/06. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. Notice is hereby given that RECONTRUST COMPANY, as duly appointed trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by DEBRA K GROSS, AN UNMARRIED WOMAN dated 12/20/06 and recorded 01/04/07, as Instrument No. 2007-0000278-00, in Book , Page), of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County State of California, will sell on 10/01/2008 at 10:00AM, At the North entrance to the City Hall, 1110 West Capital , West Sacramento at public auction to the highest bidder for cash or check as described below, payable in full at time of sale, all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust, in the property situated in said County and State and as more fully described in the above referenced Deed of Trust. The street address and other common designation, if any of the real property described above is purported to be: 1822 DELAWARE AVENUE, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA, 956914009. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The total amount of the unpaid balance with interest thereon of the obligation secured by the property to be sold plus reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $312,731.59. It is possible that at the time of sale the opening bid may be less than the total indebtedness due. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept cashier's checks drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. Said sale will be made, in an "AS IS" condition, but with out covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, advances thereunder, with interest at provided, and the unpaid principal of the Note secured by said Deed of Trust with interest thereon at provided in said Note, plus fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the Trusts created by said Deed of Trust. DATED: 09/05/08 RECONTRUST COMPANY, 1757 TAPO CANYON ROAD, SVW-88 SIMI VALLEY, CA. 93063 Phone: (800) 281-8219, Sale Information (626) 927-4399 By: Trustee's Sale Officer RECONTRUST COMPANY, is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. FEI # 1006.35243 9/10, 9/17, 9/24/2008

NOTICE OF HEARING
October 2, 2008

The West Sacramento Planning Commission will consider the following matters on Thursday, October 2, 2008, at West Sacramento Civic Center, City Council Chambers, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, California, at the times as specified or as soon thereafter as the matters may be heard:

6:00 p.m.

CONSENT AGENDA

There are no items on the Consent Agenda.

REGULAR AGENDA

1. **Public Workshop on the Downtown Riverfront Streetcar Project and Draft EIR** (Tilley)

The public workshop will include a presentation on the Downtown Riverfront Streetcar Project and the draft EIR. The project would initiate streetcar service, using modern streetcars, in the public right-of-way connecting the West Sacramento Civic Center and Raley Field with Downtown Sacramento. Streetcar service would operate 7 days a week from 6:00 a.m. to midnight. Service is planned to be offered at 10-minute intervals during peak periods and 15-minute intervals during off-peak hours. The project would install new track and stations in the existing street right-of-way on West Capitol, Tower Bridge Gateway, Tower Bridge, and Capitol Mall and then share existing track and stations with RT light rail in the city of Sacramento along 7th/8th and K Streets, terminating in a one-way loop (via 13th, J, 15th, L, and 13th Streets including two new stations) around the Sacramento Convention Center. The project would serve as an urban circulator, connecting workers, visitors and recreation-goers with key development planned in West Sacramento and Downtown Sacramento. Public comment on the draft EIR runs through October 20, 2008.

Copies of the Draft EIR are on file in the office of the West Sacramento Public Works & Community Development Department at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, 2nd Floor, West Sacramento, CA 95691. The Draft EIR is also available at the Turner Library at 840 Jefferson Blvd., West Sacramento, CA 95691. Lastly, the Draft EIR may be accessed online at www.cityofwestsacramento.org and www.riverfrontstreetcar.com.

APPLICANT: City of West Sacramento, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691.

2. **Public Hearing on 2008 Housing Element Update** (rikala/dirksen)

The item is a public hearing regarding the 2008 Housing Element update. The Planning Commission will consider Resolution No. 08-07PC that recommends that the City Council adopt the revised Housing Element as part of the City's General Plan. A Negative Declaration has been prepared for the Housing Element update in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines.

APPLICANT: City of West Sacramento, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691.

Steve Rikala, Secretary
West Sacramento Planning Commission

If you challenge any of the above items in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the City of West Sacramento at, or prior to, the public hearing.

NOTICE OF VEHICLE LIEN SALE

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that the vehicle described below will be sold at public lien sale on Sept. 29, 2008, at 9:00 a.m., at 2230 Rice Avenue, West Sacramento CA:

Lic. 7H37202 CA exp. 2004, VIN 2FZHCHAK63AK87154, 2003 Strg model – Act.
Dollar Tow Company
2230 Rice Ave
West Sacramento CA 95691
(916) 372-7458
Sept 17

NOTICE OF VEHICLE LIEN SALE

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that the vehicle described below will be sold at public lien sale on Sept. 23, 2008, at 9:00 a.m., at 2230 Rice Ave., West Sacramento, CA:

Lic. 7Z60713 CA, exp. 2007, VIN 1XPAL50X8LN293710, 1990 PTRB TM.
Dollar Tow Company
2230 Rice Ave.
West Sacramento CA 95691
(916) 372-7458
Sept 17

Trustee Sale No.: 20080134008213
Title Order No.: 20857178

FHA/VA/PMI No.: 0734580 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 5/8/2007. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NDex West, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 05/23/2007 as Instrument No. 2007-0018701-00 of official records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California. Executed By: Thiep Nguyen, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States). Date of Sale: 10/7/2008 Time of Sale: 12:45 PM Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA Street Address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 3397 MARTINIQUE STREET , WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95691 APN#: 045-671-11-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $453,375.23. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. For Trustee Sale Information Please Call: Priority Posting & Publication 17501 Irvine Blvd., Suite One Tustin, CA 92780 714-573-1965 www.prioritypostng.com NDex West, LLC as Authorized Agent Dated: 9/11/2008 NDex West, LLC may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. P468862 9/17, 9/24, 10/01/2008

TSG No.: 3772545 TS No.: 20089073501376 FHA/VA/PMI No.: NONE Notice Of Trustee's Sale YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 5/8/2006 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 10/7/2008 at 12:45 PM First American Loanstar Trustee Services, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 05/15/2006, as Instrument No. 2006-0019092-00, in book , page , of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California. Executed by: Rodrigo Danao,, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA All right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: As more fully described in the above mentioned Deed of Trust APN# 072-351-08-1 The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 3961 Tule Street , West Sacramento, CA 95691 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $285,322.82 The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. Date: 9/17/2008 First American Title Insurance Company First American LoanStar Trustee Services 3 First American Way Santa Ana, CA 92707 First American Loanstar Trustee Services may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. Original document signed by Authorized Agent Chet Sconyers --For Trustee's Sale Information Please Call (714) 573-1965 P464579 9/17, 9/24, 10/01/2008

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 2008-826

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:
Capital Valley Investments, 23622 Calabasas Road, Suite 200, Calabasas, CA 91302.
West Coast Redevelopment, Inc., a California corporation, 23622 Calabasas Road, Suite 200, Calabasas, CA 91302.
This business is conducted by A Corporation.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01-01-08.
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.)
West Coast Redevelopment, Inc.
S/ Cristina Agra-Hughes, Secretary, Senior V.P.
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo on August 18, 2008.
NOTICE-In accordance with Section 17920(a), a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires five years from the date it was filed with the County Clerk, except as provided in Section 17920(b), where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A New Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration.
The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).
8/27, 9/3, 9/10, 9/17/08
CNS-1411398#
NEWS-LEDGER

Trustee Sale # CA0820664 Loan# 1001714016 Order # 1158690 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 04/05/2007. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 09/16/2008 at 12:45PM, MTC FINANCIAL INC., dba TRUSTEE CORPS as the duly appointed Substituted Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 04/13/2007 Document No. 2007-0013739-00 of official records in the Office of the Recorder of Yolo County, CALIFORNIA, executed by, RICHARD N. TROCHE, A MARRIED MAN AS HIS SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPERTY, as Trustor, AMERICAN BROKERS CONDUIT, as Beneficiary, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States, by cash a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state). AT: THE NORTH ENTRANCE TO THE WEST SACRAMENTO CITY HALL LOCATED AT 1110 WEST CAPITOL AVENUE, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". All right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State describing the land therein: APN # 045-591-20-1 LOT 46, BRIDGEWAY ISLAND VILLAGES, PHASE 3, FILED OCTOBER 12, 2001 IN BOOK 2001 OF MAPS, PAGE 113, YOLO COUNTY RECORDS. EXCEPTING THEREFROM THE OIL, GAS AND OTHER MINERALS OF WHATEVER CHARACTER THAT MAY NOW BE ON, OR THAT MAY LATER BE DISCOVERED ON, IN OR UNDER SAID PROPERTY, TOGETHER WITH THE RIGHTS AND PRIVILEGES OF INGRESS AND EGRESS, AND THE FULL RIGHT AND PRIVILEGE OF THE GRANTOR TO THE USE OF SO MUCH OF THE SURFACE OF THE LAND AS MAY BE NECESSARY TO BUILD AND ERECT NECESSARY WORKS AND APPLIANCES TO FACILITATE THE DEVELOPMENT, EXPLOITATION, AND OBLIGATIONS FOR THE REMOVAL OF SUCH OIL, GAS AND MINERAL, INCLUDING THE RIGHT TO DIG, TO CONSTRUCT EARTHEN STORAGE ON THE SURFACE OF THE LAND AND THE RIGHT TO LAY AND CONSTRUCT, OPERATE, AND MAINTAIN ALL SUCH PIPE LINE OR LINES AND TELEPHONE LINES AS MAY BE NECESSARY OR REQUIRED IN CONNECTION WITH THE OBLIGATIONS, OR INCIDENTAL TO THEM, AS EXCEPTED IN DEED FROM LOSS W. ROSEBROOK, ET AL., RECORDED FEBRUARY 2, 1982 IN BOOK 1509 OF OFFICIAL RECORDS AT PAGE 310, YOLO COUNTY RECORDS. EXCLUDING HOWEVER, FROM THE SAID EXCEPTION, ALL RIGHTS OF SURFACE ENTRY AND ALL OIL, GAS, MINERALS, HYDROCARBONS AND ASSOCIATED SUBSTANCES ABOVE A DEPTH OF 500 FEET FROM THE SURFACE OF SAID LAND AS QUITCLAIMED BY DEED RECORDED JANUARY 26, 1988 IN BOOK 1916 OF OFFICIAL RECORDS AT PAGE 61, YOLO COUNTY RECORDS. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 3662 PETER ISLAND ROAD, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95691 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the Note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said Note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Trustee's Sale is: $470,083.16 amount). Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The Beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. Dated: 08/27/2008 TRUSTEE CORPS, as Successor Trustee By: Carlos Quezada, TRUSTEE SALES OFFICER *TRUSTEE CORPS* 2112 BUSINESS CENTER DRIVE, 2ND FLOOR, IRVINE, CA 92612 FOR SALE INFORMATION CONTACT: (714)573-1965, (714) 573-7777, (949) 252-8300 FOR REINSTATEMENT / PAY OFF REQUESTS CONTACT: (949) 252-8300 P462150 8/27, 9/3, 09/10/2008

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 2008-859

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:
Centex, County of Yolo. Business address located in Placer County. 3700 Douglas Blvd., Suite 150, Roseville, CA 95661. The mailing address: P.O. Box 19900, Dallas, TX 75219-9000.
Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number: AI #ON:
Registered owner(s):
Centex Real Estate Coporation, general partner of Centex Homes, 2728 N. Harwood, Dallas, TX 75201 and Centex Real Estate Holding, L.P., general partner of Centex Homes, 2728 N. Harwood, Dallas, TX 75201 and Nomas Corp., general partner of Centex Homes, 2728 N. Harwood, Dallas, TX 75201-1516.
This business is conducted by a general partnership.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on April 15, 2008.
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.)
S/ Kathleen B. Synder, Assistant Secretary.
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo on August 26, 2008.
NOTICE-In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A New Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration.
The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).
Original
9/10, 9/17, 9/24, 10/1/08
CNS-1423576#
NEWS-LEDGER

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Sep 4, 2008
File No. 2008-886

The following person is doing business as Jazzy Blues Café, 319 6th St., West Sacramento CA 95605:

Thaxter V. Arterberry, 7712 Westshore Dr., Sacramento CA 95831.

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9/4/08.

/s/Thaxter V. Arterberry

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.

State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Sep 4, 2008
by: /s/Eleigh Fagel, Deputy Clerk
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INVITATION TO BID

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Director of public Work Community Development, 1110 W. Capitol Avenue, 2nd Floor, West Sacramento, California until **2:00 p.m. local time on Wednesday, September 24, 2008** at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud for the:

Northeast Storage Tank Rehabilitation Project

The proposed work consists of the following:

Description of Work: The work consists of the rehabilitation of a 1.8 million gallon welded steel water storage tank including preparation, removal of existing coating and application of new interior coating, new exterior paint, and all related components necessary to complete the work as shown on the Contract plans and/or specified herein. The tank is a circular tank with a diameter of about 110 feet and a height of about 31.5 feet. The project site is located in West Sacramento at 410 B Street.

Completion of Work: All work shall be completed within **Sixty (60) working days** from the date designated on the Notice to Proceed.

Obtaining Contract Documents: Plans and specifications may be examined at the office of the Director of Public Works & Community Development, 1110 W. Capitol Avenue, 2nd Floor, West Sacramento, California. A copy of bid documents may be obtained at the office upon request and payment of $15.00 or may be mailed upon request and payment of $20.00. The amount of the payment is non-refundable.

Pre-Bid Meeting: A pre-bid meeting will be held September 15, 2008 at 2:00pm at the project site located at 410 B Street. Attendance is encouraged.

Submission of Proposals: All proposals must be submitted not later than the time prescribed. The bidder is wholly responsible to see that his bid is submitted at the time and place designated for the opening of bids. Any bid received after the time and date specified shall not be considered. Any bid may be withdrawn prior to the scheduled time for opening bids. Each bid must conform and be responsive to this notice and shall be made on the official proposal forms furnished with the contract documents.

Attention is directed to the provisions of the Business and Professions Code Section 7028.15 which makes it a misdemeanor for any person without a valid Contractors license (with specific exceptions) to submit a bid to act as a Contractor to a public agency.

Proposal Guarantee: Each proposal must be accompanied by cash, a cashier's check, certified check or bid bond, executed on the prescribed form, in an amount not less than ten (10) percent of the total bid price payable to the City of West Sacramento.

Bidders are hereby notified that in accordance with the provisions of Government Code Section 4590, securities may be substituted for any monies which the City may withhold pursuant to the terms of this Contract to ensure performance.

Construction License: The successful bidder must possess a current **C-33, Industrial Painting Contractor License as issued by the State of California**. The Contractor shall have a minimum of five (5) years practical experience and successful history in the application of specified products to surfaces of steel water storage tank. Furthermore, he shall have conducted rehabilitation of at least three (3) storage tanks within the last eight (8) years, each with a volume of at least 100,000 gallons, and have demolished at least one storage tank with lead based paint that required containment, worker protection, and debris disposal during the demolition work. Contractor shall substantiate this requirement by furnishing a written list of references.

Award: The award shall be made to the lowest responsible bidder whose proposal complies with the specified requirements. The award of Contract will be made by the Director of Public Works & Community Development, and the Contractor shall execute the Contract within ten (10) days after he has received the Contract from the City.

The City reserves the right to waive any irregularity in the proposals. No bid may be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days after the opening of bids.

Rejection of Bids: The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. Any bid not conforming to the intent and purpose of the Contract documents may be rejected. The City reserves the right to make all awards in the best interest of the City.

Disqualification of Bidder: If there is a reason to believe that collusion exists among any bidders, none of the bids of the participants in such collusion will be considered and the City may likewise elect to reject all bids received.

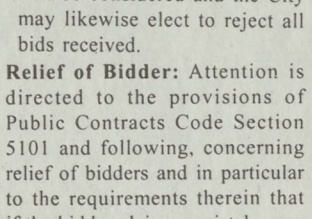
Relief of Bidder: Attention is directed to the provisions of Public Contracts Code Section 5101 and following, concerning relief of bidders and in particular to the requirements therein that if the bidder claims a mistake was made in his bid, the bidder shall give the City written notice, within five (5) days after the opening of bids of the alleged mistake, specifying in the notice, in detail, how the mistake occurred.

Wage Rates: Bidders are hereby notified that the California Director of Industrial Relations has determined the general prevailing rate of wages for each craft, classification, or type of worker needed to execute the work.

It shall be mandatory for the Contractor and any subcontractor under him to pay not less than the said specified rates to laborers and workmen employed by them in the execution of the Contract.

Bonds: The successful bidder will be required to furnish a payment bond in an amount equal to one hundred (100) percent of the Contract price, and a faithful performance bond in an amount equal to one hundred (100) percent of the Contract price.

By: Cameron R. Beebe, Supervising Civil Engineer
Sep 10 17



President-elect Zachary Taylor refused to take his oath of office on the designated inauguration day, March 4, 1849, because it was a Sunday. He was sworn in the next day, leaving David R. Atchison, president pro tempore of the Senate, as acting president for the day.

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Sep 10, 2008
File No. 2008-904

The following person is doing business as West U.S. Auto, Inc., 1625 Headslane Rd., West Sacramento CA 95691:

West U.S. Auto, Inc., same address.

This business is conducted by a Corporation.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9/9/08.

/s/Sergey Nesterov, President/ Treasurer/Secretary
West U.S. Auto, Inc.

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.

State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Sep 10, 2008
by: /s/Liz Mahovlich, Deputy Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Aug 25, 2008
File No. 2008-852

The following person is doing business as The Centered Self, 1260 Triangle Ct., West Sacramento CA 95605:

Darcy Hargrove, 3735 Gold Creek Ct., West Sacramento CA 95691; Jill Rios, 930 Roeder Way, West Sacramento CA 95822.

This business is conducted by a General Partnership.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 8/25/08.

/s/Jill Rios
/s/Darcy Hargrove

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.

State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Aug 25, 2008
by: /s/Isabel Becerra, Deputy Clerk
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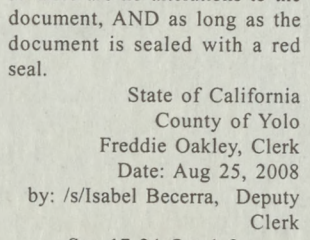
ORDINANCE SUMMARY

At their regular meeting on September 10, 2008 the West Sacramento City Council adopted by the vote noted below Ordinance 08-14 amending Chapter 2.20 of the Municipal Code relating to boards and commissions. The ordinance will be effective on October 10, 2008.

AYES: Beers, Johannessen, Kristoff, Villegas, Cabaldon
NOES: None
ABSENT: None

The full text of the ordinance is available in the City Clerk's Office, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691



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Trustee Sale No.: 20080182300363 Title Order No.: 30138000 FHA/VA/PMI No.: NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 1/2/2003. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NDex West, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 01/13/2003 as Instrument No. 2003-0001938-00 of official records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California. Executed By: Lyubov Mysin and Vladimir Mysin, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States). Date of Sale: 9/30/2008 Time of Sale: 12:45 PM Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA Street Address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 520 NORTH HOBSON AVENUE, WEST SACRAMENTO,CA 95605 APN#: 014043061 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $91,639.55. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. For Trustee Sale Information Please Call: Priority Posting & Publication 17501 Irvine Blvd., Suite One Tustin, CA 92780 714-573-1965 www.prioritypostng.com NDex West, LLC as Authorized Agent Dated: 8/29/2008 NDex West, LLC may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. P456149 9/10, 9/17, 09/24/2008

Trustee Sale No.: 20080134007440 Title Order No.: 1159386 FHA/VA/PMI No.: NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 1/27/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NDex West, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 02/01/2006 as Instrument No. 2006-0004486-00 of official records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California. Executed By: Bayani C Antonio and Charito D Antonio, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States). Date of Sale: 9/30/2008 Time of Sale: 12:45 PM Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA Street Address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 2485 GOOSEBERRY CIRCLE, WEST SACRAMENTO,CA 95691 APN#: 072-192-02-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $327,471.84. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. For Trustee Sale Information Please Call: Priority Posting & Publication 17501 Irvine Blvd., Suite One Tustin, CA 92780 714-573-1965 www.prioritypostng.com NDex West, LLC as Authorized Agent Dated: 9/3/2008 NDex West, LLC may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. P457817 9/10, 9/17, 09/24/2008

Trustee Sale No.: 20080134007409 Title Order No.: 20856753 FHA/VA/PMI No.: NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 12/12/2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NDex West, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 12/22/2005 as Instrument No. 2005-0063234-00 of official records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California. Executed By: Guadalupe Soria, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States). Date of Sale: 9/30/2008 Time of Sale: 12:45 PM Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA Street Address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 3865 GRAHAM ISLAND ROAD , WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95691 APN#: 045-731-04-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $367,431.88. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. For Trustee Sale Information Please Call: Priority Posting & Publication 17501 Irvine Blvd., Suite One Tustin, CA 92780 714-573-1965 www.prioritypostng.com NDex West, LLC as Authorized Agent Dated: 9/4/2008 NDex West, LLC may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. P457844 9/10, 9/17, 09/24/2008

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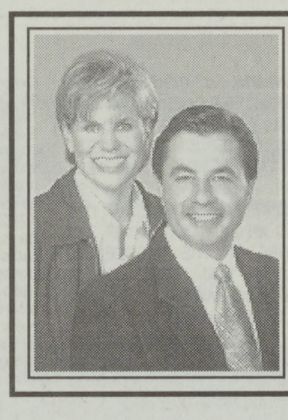
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Local Scene

Commission on Aging

The West Sacramento Commission on Aging will hold its Sept. 26 meeting at the Senior Center, 664 Cummins Way. Lunch with the commission ($3 donation requested for seniors over 63, $7 for non-seniors) is at the site, 11:30-2. RSVP for lunch 24 hours in advance to 373-5819.

Weight loss

'TOPS' ("Take Off Pounds Sensibly") meets Tuesday evenings from 5-6:30 p.m. at the Casa Mobile Park clubhouse, 1050 West Capitol Avenue. Children and adults welcome; no charge for first visit. For information, call 372-8403.

Vet memorial

A memorial will be dedicated to Harold Shackleford at the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post in Bryte, 1708 Lisbon Street, at 6 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 4. A steak dinner will follow. Tickets for dinner are $10 and will be sold through Oct. 1; call 371-9126.

'Senior Idol'

Yolo County residents age 50 and up are invited to strut their stuff in a county-wide talent competition. Singers and dancers may sign up by Sept. 19 for auditions, which will be held in Davis. Call (530) 757-5696. The final performance will be Nov. 1 at 3 p.m. in the Veterans Memorial Theater, Davis.

United Way

The United Way charity organization is looking for your input on "what its health and human service project funding priorities should be for the next three to five years." A series of regional meetings are planned, including one at West Sacramento City Hall, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, from 5-7 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 7.

Wines of Clarksburg

The vineyards and wineries of Clarksburg will show off their goods on Sunday, September 21 from 2-5 p.m. for a wine tasting to benefit the Friends of the Clarksburg Library. The event will be held at the Holland Land Company headquarters, 36533 Netherlands Road in Clarksburg. $35/person in advance or $45 at the door. Must be 21. For information, call Rina at (916) 552-2623 or the library at 744-1755.

Marshall Class of '78

The James Marshall High School Class of 1978 will hold their 30th reunion on Sept. 27, 2008, at the West Sacramento VFW Hall, 905 Drever Street, beginning at 6:30 p.m. $35/person. Call Ty Sequira at (916) 712-4452 or email tyseq@yahoo.com.

RCHS boosters

The River City High School Boosters Club supports the school's athletic programs and provides college scholarships. New members are invited. Meetings are generally held on the first Wednesday of each month at 6:30 p.m. in the staff lounge at RCHS.

Parade & Fair

The Neighbors Fair returns Saturday, October 4, to River Walk Park just north of the Tower Bridge. There will be live music, food, a beer & wine garden, and more. The event lasts from noon to 6 p.m. Events will begin with the "Community Day Parade," beginning at 11 a.m. in downtown West Sacramento. Parade entries are still accepted; the theme is "Celebrating Outdoors." For parade information, call Marna Miller, 502-2802, or email Miller@rcip.com. The Neighbors Fair Art exhibition will be open for viewing Oct. 1-3 at city hall. For information on all events, visit www.wsneighborsfair.com.

RC alumni basketball

Are you an alumni of the River City High School basketball program? Help celebrate the move from the old school to the new school with an alumni game at 5 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 27. Graduates of even-numbered years will face off against those from odd-numbered years. The event is a fundraiser for the current team. Players pay a $20 registration fee and are asked to obtain pledge money "per point scored." Admission is $1. For information, contact Coach West at jwest@wusd.k12.ca.us or (916) 375-7800.

Ice cream social

The West Sacramento Police Department invites residents of the Bryte and Broderick neighborhoods to an ice cream social from 6:30-8 p.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 24, at Riverbank Elementary School (the former Golden State Middle School, 1100 Carrie Street). "Come meet your neighborhood police officers and other department staff," said Police Chief Dan Drummond. No charge. For information, call 617-4900.

OLG dinner

Our Lady of Grace church & school plan their annual benefit dinner at 7 p.m. on Sat., Sept. 19, at 1990 Linden Road. Guest hosts are city council members Bill Kristoff, Mark Johannessen and Wes Beers. Tickets are $40 (seniors 60+ = $30). Contact Dave Westin at 376-0880 or the parish office at 371-4814 for tickets or sponsorship. To donate auctions, call Peter Macias at 372-6432 or Jennifer Engstrom at 803-0304.

Artists

The Neighbors Fair Juried Art Exhibition returns Oct. 1, and both adults and youngsters are welcome to enter their work and compete for cash prizes. Applications are available at city hall, the library, and the chamber of commerce, as well as at www.wsneighborsfair.com. Applications must be postmarked by Sept. 27. Call Stella at 371-3744 for more information.

'Carnitas con Oscar'

Join West Sacramento City Council Member Oscar Villegas at a fundraiser for his reelection campaign on Sat., Sept. 20, from 6-9 p.m. at the ILWU Hall, 600 4th Street in West Sacramento. Tickets are $15 for the carnitas dinner. RSVP to Katie Villegas at 375-1132, fax 372-4559 or katievillegas@wavecable.com.

Port cleanup

Join in the local portion of Coast and Creek Cleanup Week on Saturday, Sept. 20, beginning at the River City Rowing Club boathouse just north of Industrial Blvd. and west of Harbor Blvd. The event lasts from 9 a.m. to noon. Register by Sept. 12 and then participate to receive a free metal water bottle. For directions and information, visit www.cityofwestsacramento.org. Pre-register at 617-4620 or recycle@cityofwestsacramento.org. Volunteers should wear long pants, sunscreen, closed-toed shoes and hats. Water, gloves and trash bags will be provided.

Wolkmobile

Assemblywoman Lois Wolk's mobile office will visit different parts of the district this week to help constituents with issues involving state departments, legislative affairs and other issues. The 'Wolkmobile' will be at the West Sacramento Senior Center, 664 Cummins Way, from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on Monday, Sept. 22. For more information, call (707) 455-8025.

Essay contest

The Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 8762 has announced that its annual essay contest is back. Students in grades 6-8 are invited to compete for thousands of dollars in savings bonds and a trip to Washington, D.C. Local students are invited to submit a 300-400 word patriotic essay on this year's theme, "Why America's Veterans Should be Honored." Deadline is Nov. 1. For information, call Betty Schmidt, 371-3864, or Gordon Work, 371-8937. Or visit www.vfw.org.

'Audio essay'

High School students are invited to participate in the 'Voice of Democracy' scholarship competition hosted by Veterans of Foreign Wars and local post 8762. Prizes include a four-day tour of Washington, D.C., as well as cash prizes. Students may enter by writing and recording a three to five minute audio essay on the theme "Service and Sacrifice by Today's Veterans Benefit Today's Youth By. . ." Entries are due by Nov. 1. For information, visit www.vfw.org or call 371-3864 or 371-8937.

For education

Nugget Markets will help the West Sacramento Educational Foundation during a fundraising drive through Sept. 28. The company will match your donations, up to $2,500. Bring your donation to the Nugget at 2000 Town Center Plaza. The foundation provides grants to school music and sports departments and other education-related programs. For more information on the foundation, visit www.wsef.net. Visit the store and ask an employee how to donate.

Attn: seniors

Seniors & disabled people who can't drive may make arrangements for free pickup of their household hazardous wastes, including pesticides, paints, solvents, fluorescent bulbs, electrical switches, mercury thermometers, used motor oil and filers and small electronics. The number of pickups on each scheduled collection day is limited; please use "good judgment" when calling for a pickup, based on how much material you have. Call 1-866-714-8470 to arrange a pickup.

Education policy

The Yolo County School Boards Association will host "California Education Policy Today: Implications for Yolo County School Districts," an evening with David Long, former state Secretary of Education. The event begins at 7 p.m. on Monday, Sept. 22, at the Yolo County Office of Education's conference center, 1280 Santa Anita Court in Woodland. No charge; community leaders and the public are welcome. For information or to RSVP, contact Karen Fox at (5300 668-3702 or email karen.fox@ycoe.org.

Murder & chuckles

'Out of Sight. . . Out of Murder' is the name of the comedy/mystery being performed by the West Sacramento Community Theater Company at Yolo High School, 920 Westacre Road. It's a "zany murder mystery with a supernatural twist." Showtime is this Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m. and Sunday at 2. $8 for adults, $6 for students & seniors.

Talk to the City

City Councilman Mark Johannessen announces that the city's website has a better way to track concerns registered by city residents. "Access West Sacramento" allows you to submit a question or concern electronically. Visit www.cityofwestsacramento.org and click on "Submit a Question or Concern." Johannessen, a candidate for mayor, also invites residents to phone him directly with their concerns at 371-0661.

Bible study

A one-hour Bible study class begins Oct. 8 at the Margaret McDowell Manor, 1525 Merkley Avenue. The program, running on Wednesdays from 7-8 p.m., is hosted by Horizon Christian Fellowship. You're invited. Please park on the street.

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